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TAPS SOUNDED FOR WORLD WAR VETERAN

WALKER T. COOPER GIVEN HONORS BY HIS COMRADES AT INTERMENT

A semi-military funeral was accorded Walter T. Cooper, a veteran of the World's war, in Pecan Grove cemetery, this city, Tuesday afternoon, June 5. The deceased died early Monday morning in the hospital, at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, where he had been under treatment for a couple of months.

While serving in the Civilian Conservation Corps at the camp, at Canyon, Texas, his right leg became infected, and he was taken to the hospital for treatment at Fort Sill. In an effort to save his life, the leg was amputated, but relief could not be obtained, and he died as stated, on June 4.

Carl McDonald of the Harris Funeral home and I. G. Golden, a McKinney carpenter and brother-in-law of the deceased, went to Fort Sill in one of the C. C. Harris funeral cars and conveyed the body back to the native home city of the deceased where funeral services were held in the Harris Funeral Home parlors at 4:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon conducted by Dr. Minor Bounds, pastor of the First Methodist church of this city, where the deceased attended Sunday school in childhood and in early life became a member of.

By request of the family, Hon. H. H. Neilson, a lieutenant in the World war and good friend of the family, also made a brief address. Mr. Neilson paid tribute to Mr. Cooper as a soldier and praised him for his loyalty and interest in helping to receive the bodies of deceased soldiers shipped back from Europe for burial in their home cemeteries over Collin county.

Active pallbearers were Frank Hartsfield, Jesse Hartsfield, Tom Fairey, Merritt Braswell, Jess Creason and Morris Gay.

The casket was covered by a large American flag under which lay emblem the deceased had served on the battlefronts of France for a year as a member of Co. B, 144th Infantry, Thirty-Sixth Division, American Expeditionary Forces.

After the final word of Dr. Bounds at the graveside, Hi Wilmeth, a World war comrade, sounded "Taps" on his bugle as a final remark of respect to the memory of the deceased veteran.

The large flag that draped the casket was removed by two other veterans and quickly folded after which the casket was lowered, and the body left to sleep beside the grave of his mother, who preceded him in death about ten years ago. E. B. Odle of this city, who attended the services, was in the same company overseas with the deceased.

Born in McKinney.

Walter T. Cooper was born in McKinney, May 26, 1893, being forty-one years and seven days old at death. He lacked only a few weeks of completing McKinney High school. He was a carpenter by trade. He is survived by his father, Contractor J. E. Cooper of this city, and also by his wife of Dallas and by two sisters, Mrs. I. G. Golden and Mrs. Bessie McClusky, both of McKinney.

FIRST LOAD OF 1934 WHEAT IS MARKETED HERE

The first load of Collin county wheat from the 1934 crop was marketed in McKinney Tuesday afternoon, with the Collin County Mill & Elevator company, who paid 85 cents per bushel for the grain. The wheat was marketed by Cecil Hight and graded No. 1, 60 pounds to the bushel.

According to Gibson Caldwell, manager of the Collin County Mill & Elevator company, the wheat crop is now beginning to move and the next few weeks will be busy ones not only for grain dealers but for farmers and grain men, many of whom are already cutting or threshing their grain.

Mrs. George Wilcox received a cable Monday from London, England, announcing the arrival of a granddaughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Campbell-Buller. The mother, who was formerly Miss Mary Wilcox before her marriage a year ago, and baby are doing nicely at the Sussex Nursing home in London. Friends in McKinney will be glad to learn that the young mother and daughter are getting along so well.

Two applicants have filed for Pictorial Representative from Collin county: Grover Burton, young McKinney attorney and Former Representative Chas. Akin of Princeton. Two have filed in Grayson county: Mr. Davis, a farmer of near Tioga, and an attorney by the name of Sons of Sherman.

METHODISTS JOINT QUAR. CONFERENCE

The District-wide quarterly Methodist church conference to be held Saturday, June 9, at Victory park, will be the occasion for some splendid addresses by prominent speakers. Dinner will be served and a prize will be offered to the church bringing the best lunch. Pastors are urged to have all officials present.

BOARD WELFARE AND EMPLOYMENT HOLDS MEETING

An important meeting of the Collin County Board of Welfare and Employment was held at the Relief headquarters offices in the Waddill building on North Kentucky street at 7:30 o'clock Monday night, at which the five members were present as follows: Add G. Wilson, chairman; Joe Aston of Farmersville vice-chairman; R. E. L. Miller of Celina, secretary; Hudson Rice of Piano and Tom Airhart of Valdasta.

Add G. Wilson, Joe Aston and Hudson Rice had tendered their resignations on account of many other duties incumbent upon them of a public and private nature.

Their successors have been elected by the County Commissioners court, headed by County Judge J. Frank Harrington, as follows: F. Dudley Perkins, McKinney, successor of Add G. Wilson, as chairman; George H. Jones, formerly of Nevada, but now of Farmersville, successor to Joe Aston; and Milt Whisenant of Allen, successor to Hudson Rice.

As stated, Mr. Perkins was elected new county chairman and Milt Whisenant, vice-chairman, and R. E. L. Miller remains as secretary of the Board.

H. B. Hickers is County Administrator, giving all of his time to his duties here at McKinney in handling Collin county welfare and employment Federal and state aid.

None of these positions carry a salary, except the County Administrator.

However, the County Board chairman, is under a $7,000 bond for the proper administration of his important duties that are being carried on throughout the county for relief of the needy and for unemployment relief.

Add G. Wilson has served nine months during which time, he has rendered very efficient and helpful service.

Hudson Rice has also served nine months, while Joe Aston has served about nineteen months, being a member of the old R. F. C. county board.

These gentlemen have devoted lots of valuable time and hard work to helping solve many perplexing problems, just from a purely patriotic motive and a feeling of sympathy for the less fortunate in life in our county who have had to look to the government for assistance during these gruelling times of depression that are now lifting.

The new members of the Board—Messrs. Perkins ,Whisenant and Jones will prove equally efficient and patriotic in performing their often unpleasant duties in assisting the government to carry along its public welfare relief work.

Our county is to be congratulated on having these high type of men to call upon in time emergency and help to guide their country back to normal times again.

GRAYSON FARMERS RECEIVING THEIR COTTON CHECKS

A crowd of 300 excited cotton farmers gathered Friday to receive their checks for 1934 co-operation in acreage reduction, which were given out at Van Alstyne at 4 p. m. by County Agent B. F. Gray. The First National bank of Van Aistyne remained open until 6:30 p. m., three hours and a half beyond "banking time," to accommodate the men.

Spencer Taylor cashier, said the bank handled 231 checks for the cotton men, representing around $8,500 in money.

"The farmers seemed to be in great spirits," Mr. Taylor was quoting as saying.

A large crowd of farmers assembled in Howe at 6:30 p. m. Friday to receive their cotton checks for 1934 co-operation from the hands of the county agent, B. F. Gray. Farmers from this and nearby communities were given pay from the federal government, and were in a happy frame of mind.

The county agent was busy Saturday on his three day schedule of check distribution, which ends late Monday.

Manager Frank Cook of the Wilcox Lumber Co., is laid up for a day or two on account of illness.

$357,400 Federal Loan Made In Collin To May 1; $565,000,000 Made In U.S.

A total of $357,400 of Federal land bank and Land Bank Commissioner's farm mortgage loans was made in Collin county, Texas, from June 1, 1933, to May 1, 1934, according to the Farm Credit Administration.

Of this total, farmers in Collin county used approximately $344,000, or 96.5 per cent to refinance their indebtedness. By refinancing, farmers obtained new mortgage loans which they used to repay their old debts. They generally reduced their annual interest charges in doing so. In a number of cases, scale-downs of indebtedness occurred in connection with the new loans. These and other advantages benefited farmers primarily. Secondarily, creditors benefited from the receipt of cash or bonds in exchange for obligations they held.

Of the loan money used by farmers in Collin county for refinancing their debts, about $93,300, it was estimated, repaid their debts to banks; $141,500, their debts to insurance companies; $9,700, their taxes; $100,400, their debts to "others," or creditors not separately classified, including private mortgage lenders, mortgage loan companies, retired farmers and many others to whom farmers were in debt.

A total of about $12,500 of loans in the county the balance, was used for the purchase of stock in national farm loan associations, for loan fees, etc.

Throughout the United States approximately $675,000,000 of land bank and Commissioner's loans were made from June 1, 1933, to May 1, 1934. Most of these loans were made to refinance debts resulting from long period of low farm income.

Generally farmers pay considerably less interest each year on the new than on the old loans. Land bank loans made through national farm loan associations carry an interest rate of 5 per cent, but there is a reduction to 4½ per cent until July, 1938. Loans made direct by banks carry a rate of 5½ per cent, but there is a reduction to 5 per cent until 1938. The rate on Commissioner's loans is 5 per cent. Against these rates farmers in most cases had been paying from 5 per cent to 8 per cent, but on numerous loans they had been paying 9 per cent, 10 per cent, and even above 10 per cent.

Until March 26 the land bank and Commissioner's loans were made in cash. Commencing on that date they were made mainly in the government-guaranteed bonds of the Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation. These bonds are exempt from all Federal, state, municipal and local taxation, except surtaxes, estate, inheritance and gift taxes. They are guaranteed fully as to principal and interest by the United States government. In a relatively short period after they were issued, they sold above par and had met a favorable reception from farmers and their creditors all over the United States. With the use of these bonds, the refinancing program is going forward rapidly.

L. F. O'DELL, 76, PASSES AWAY AT ALLA HUBBARD

HAD RESIDED IN THAT COMMUNITY MANY YEARS

W. B. Mantooth of this city received the sad news last (Wednesday) morning of the death of his cousin, L. F. O'Dell, 76 years old, at his home in the Alla Hubbard community, north of Celina, at 9:00 o'clock today. Funeral services were held at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon, June 7, interment following in the Cottage Hill cemetry.

The deceased suffered a stroke of paralysis some two or three years ago from which he grew steadily worse until his demise this morning. He was a prominent Mason and had been active in church work for many years. He was a native of Tennessee.

The wife of the deceased died suddenly about a year ago when she fell from her kitchen door, death being almost instantaneous. The mother of the deceased died some six months ago in Pilot Point as she neared her one hundredth birthday. The deceased had resided for many years near Alla Hubbard on one of the farms owned by that school.

He is survived by eight children: Tom O'Dell, Miss Lou, teacher in the Alla Hubbard school; Mrs. Sam Hudgins, Mrs. Phillips, Joe O'Dell and Mrs. Rogers, all of Celina and Alla Hubbard communities; Hubbard, a son who teaches school in West Texas.

Mrs. J. W. McKinney, Mrs. Marquerite Geer, Miss ary Leona Watson, Miss Doris Turrentine, Miss Verna McClure and Mrs. Jewel Watson are among those from this city who have entered N. T. S. T. C. in Denton for a course of study this summer.

Miss Mary Alice Wilson, daughter of Ernest Wilson, and William Ernest Wilson, his son ,will attend summer school in Denton this summer, Miss Wilson attending C. I. A. and William Ernest attending N. T. S. T. C. He was a student at A. & M. this winter.

Mrs. J. B. Farrell, 75, died at the home of her son, J. B. Farrell, Jr., four miles northeast of Plano. Surviving are the following sons: R. L. Farrell, Dallas; W. E. Farrell, Amarillo; J. B. Farrell Jr, Plano; Dr. J. M. Farrell, Fort Worth; and J. R. Farrell, Sulphur Springs.

Little Miss Betsie Adair of Dallas is visiting her uncle and aunt, Judge and Mrs. J. M. Muse, in this city.

Will Rich of Valdasta, a patient of Dr. A. H. Bridgefarmer of Melissa, has been quite ill for several weeks. A few days ago he was brought to the McKinney City hospital. The patient has been given four different blood transfusions but continues very slowly ill.

WESTON MAN WEDS VIRGINIA GIRL IN N. Y.

C. S. HUTCHINGS, OFFICER ON U. S. S. FOX, NATIVE OF WESTON

Charles Slack Hutchins, 25, officer on the U. S. S. Fox, in New York with the United States Fleet, and a former resident of Weston, this county, and Miss Twylah A. Miller, 20, of 2825 Maryboro avenue, Norfolk, Va., were married in New York Monday afternoon in the Little Chruch Around the Corner by the Rev. Randolph Ray. Mr. Hutchins, son of Frederick J. and Leonora Slack Hutchings, was born in Weston. His bride, daughter of Otto Frederick and Agnes McDonald Miller, was born in Komomo, Ind.

Bryan Bros. Dealers For Lincoln Paints

Bryan Bros., a busines firm of this city, composed of W. I. and C. M. Bryan, are calling attention to an advertisement in these papers stating that they are now authorized dealers for Lincoln paints. These people make practically every kind of paint product that is manufactured and are fortunate in placing their products with the firm of Bryan Bros. C. M. Bryan states they recently closed a contract with the Chambersville consolidated school district, whereby they will paint their building with this famous paint.

Now is a good time to paint. Lincoln paints are good, Bryan Bros. are a fine firm to do business with.

Charlie Maier was slugged on the back of the head as he walked to his home near Shain school house from Celina recently. Two arrests have been made.

M'KINNEY WILL ENTERTAIN COUNTY SINGERS IN OCT.

The semi-annual singing convention was held at Parker Sunday, being an all-day affair. Dinner was served in the basement of the church where all who came spread lunch. Some 800 to 1000 were present.

The next semi-annual convention will be held in McKinney Saturday and Sunday, October 13 and 14, probably in the district court room of the courthouse.

McKinney is already making plans to entertain visiting singers here at that time, an unusually large crowd being expected. Officers, re-elected at the Parker meeting, are: R. F. Williams, president; R. C. McLeod, vice-president; and Miss Louise Martin, secretary-treasury.

INTERMENT WED. AT MELISSA FOR MRS. G. H. GRAVES

Largely attended funeral services for the late Mrs. George H. Graves, were held at the Presbyterian church in Melissa last (Wednesday) afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by Dr. E. O. Whitwell of this city, assisted by Rev. A. L. Clinkenbeard of Dallas. The Isaac Crouch Funeral home had charge of the burial, which was made in the Melissa cemetery. She passed away shortly before noon Tuesday.

Active pallbearers were: Ralph Frazier, Ed Dickenson, Everett Hardaway, Walter Porter, George Lacy and Glen Graves.

Sallye Jordan was born December 16, 1860 in the state of Kentucky to S. T. and Missouri (Long) Jordan. She had resided in this county many years, being well known in and around Melissa. She was married to George Graves, who died in October, 1933. She was 73 years, 5 months and 19 days old.

The deceased was a member of the Presbyterian church and also of the Woodmen Circle. She is survived by two children, Jessie Graves and Mrs. John Lacy, both of Melissa and by a brother, Walker Jordan and a sister, Mrs. C. W. Hardaway, both of Melissa.

Miss Mary Reeves of the Bloomdale community was in town Tuesday, having her right eye treated, which had been scratched with a jagged piece of poultry wire. The injury was quite painful but fortunately it did not touch the sight. Miss Reeves is one of the most active workers in the Home Economics clubs under County Home Demonstration Agent Miss Helen Dunlap.

At a meeting held recently, a reorganization of the Frisco Volunteer Fire department was perfected. Officers elected were: W. R. Northcutt, chief; R. W. Carpenter and C. W. Montgomery, captains; and S. G. Carpenter, secretary and treasurer.

ANNUAL WILSON FAMILY REUNION SUNDAY, JUNE 10

Arrangements are going forward for the second annual Wilson family reunion which will be held at Finch Park, Sunday, June 10. The reunion, which was inaugurated last year brings together as many as possible of the pioneer Wilson families of this county. The affair has been made an annual occasion.

Invitation have been sent out by Paul K. Wilson of McKinney, both of whose parents were Wilsons, to members of both family groups over the state asking them to be here. A large attendance is expected.

Mrs. Earl Myrick and little son, Edward Earl, have returned from a five weeks' visit in Waco with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Marshall.

KITCHEN IS IMPROVED AT SMALL COST

By using scrap lumber that was about the farm, Mrs. Finis Siegler, member of the Union Home Demonstration club, improved her kitchen this spring at a small cost. She told Miss Helen Dunlap, county home demonstration club agent, that a neighbor, Walter Crump was interested in her plan and did the work for her. In working out the storage space he sawed into each the kitchen safe and the kitchen cabinet. They were placed at either end of the kitchen and a table was built over the lower parts. Additional storage space was built between them from scrap lumber.

Besides the built-in fixtures, Mrs. Siegler states that she had two coats of ivory paint put on the kitchen walls and ceiling as well as on the built-in work. She states that she is happy with her kitchen improvement work which cost her a total of $9.00. She is planning a meeting of the club at her home soon, when all the members may see the things she had done.

ASSOCIATIONAL AUXILIARY TO MEET JUNE 12

YOUNG PEOPLE'S PROGRAM WILL BE GIVEN AT FIRST BAPTIST

The program for the quarterly meeting of the Collin County Associational auxiliary will be given at the First Baptist church in McKinney Tuesday, June 12, beginning at 10 a. m. The young people's program follows:

Watchword for year—"Be strong and of good courage—for Jehovah, Thy God ,is with thee."—Joshua 1:9.

Hymn, "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name."

Devotional, Miss Naomi Ready.

Hymn, "O Zion Haste."

Appointment of committees.

Report of Corresponding Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Carl H. Tollett.

Vocal Music, Miss Frankie Oates.

Missionary Education of Youth, Mrs. J. R. Sanders, Sherman.

Hymn, "We've a Story to Tell to the Nation."

My Call to Brazil, Miss Lena Lair, Anna.

Vocal Solo, Rev. L. C. Craig, Fort Worth.

Sermon, Rev. W. W. Rivers, Waco.

Lunch.

Meeting of Executive Committee (Vice Presidents, Chairman of Standing Committees, and Local Presidents).

Hymn, "Jesus Shall Reign."

Prayer.

Playlet, Young People of First Baptist Church, McKinney.

Baylor College, Mrs. Oran Ballou.

Baylor Memorial Dormitory, Mrs. Hubert White.

Minutes—Announcements—Adjournment.

DEATH OF JAS. P. BREMER NEAR FRISCO SUNDAY

BORN IN SALEM, MO.; FUNERAL SERVICES AT LEBANON MONDAY

James P. Brewer, 61, died at his home two and a half miles east of Frisco, Sunday at 1 o'clock. The deceased had been ill for two weeks.

Born at Salem, Mo., he moved with his parents, Archie and Rebecca Brewer to the Lebanon community at the age of six years. The past fifty-five were spent in that community. His wife, who was Miss Lucy Bruce, survives. To this union there was born one child, Mrs. Lula Mathis, of Dallas. He is also survived by five grandchildren. One brother, Linyer Brewer of Muleshoe and one sister, Mrs. Laura Cook of Burkournett, survive. Both were present for the funeral.

Funeral services were under the direction of the Byrum Funeral home, conducted at the Baptist church at Lebanon Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock by the Rev. L. F. Grumbles. Interment was made at the Baccus cemetery.

H. D. Mouzon, 4148 Prescott, Dallas, remits cash for three more months subscription on the Daily Courier-Gazette. Mr. Mouzon who is a prominent life insurance agency manager, and wife lived in McKinney for a number of years. They have a host of mighty good friends living in this city and county.

M. A. Jones, poular business man of Farmersville, was in the city today (Friday), coming over to see his mother, who is quite ill at the City Hospital. Mr. Jones is a son of former Mayor and Mrs. M. T. Jones.

DEDICATION OF MELISSA BAPTIST CHURCH JUNE 3; GREAT HOMECOMING

Three Charter Members Present Who Helped Establish Church; One of Them, Mrs. J. S. Hill, Lives in McKinney

By Mrs. Ethel Bridgefarmer

Sunday, June 3, will be a day long remembered among the Baptists at Melissa.

Sunday School was at the usual hour with a large attendance. At the 11:00 o'clock services the program was as follows: Song by choir led by Eberle Lair of Anna; prayer by J. E. Gibson of McKinney, who was Sunday school superintendent here for several years; song by choir; scripture reading, by Rev. R. J. Fletcher of Commerce, who is a former pastor here; quartette by G. W. Moore, Eberle Lair, Mrs. Earl Carroll and Miss Eula Barker; historical sketch of the church by S. H. Parris, who is one of the three remaining charter members of the church when it was established in 1884; the other two charter members being Mrs. J. S. Hill of McKinney and Mrs. S. H. Parris, still living at Melissa.

After an interesting sketch of the earlier days of the church, a song by the choir was sung. Mrs. M. P. Martin of Tyler, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Parris, sang "Holy City," accompanied by Mrs. H. S. Wysong at the piano. Rev. M. H. Barnett, pastor of the church, preached the dedicatory sermon and J. L. Gibson led in the dedication prayer, dedicating the church building to the Lord's service; song by choir; adjournment.

Dinner was served in the community tabernacle.

At 2:30 o'clock the crowd again gathered at the church for services. The following program was carried out by visitors, old-time residents, former pastors and members.

Song by choir led by Eberle Lair, accompanied by Miss Ruth Graves at the piano. Mrs. Walter Strother's orchestra from Anna and a stringed orchestra from McKinney; prayer by Rev. Joseph Pearce of Greenville who was pastor here, 1922-27.

Song by choir.

Trio by Mrs. Strother's orchestra.

Duet by Elmer Parris and Mrs. M. P. Martin.

Vocal solo, by County Treasurer Byron England of McKinney.

Musical number by the stringed orchestra from McKinney.

Reading.

Reading.

Talk by Rev. G. O. Key of McKinney but formerly here for five years.

Song by choir.

Talk by Rev. R. J. Fletcher also former pastor.

Reading.

Vocal solo, Mrs. A. L. Leake of Piano.

A short sermon by Rev. Joseph Pearce, of Greenville, But a former pastor.

Song, "Amazing Grace," by choir.

Vocal solo, R. F. Lawson.

Talk by Rev. A. L. Leake of Plano who has held two revivals for this church.

Talk by members.

H. S. Wysong, who presided during the afternoon, announced that a former home boy and beloved citizen, Dr. H. H. Ogilvie, of San Antonio, had presented the church with six beautiful hand paintings and a large plaque. Mr. Wysong thanked Dr. Ogilvie in behalf of the church for the gifts. Dr. Ogilvie responded with a few well chosen words. He is a son of the late Mrs. V. R. Ogilvie, who was a most devout Christian and church leader.

The charter members of the church were recognized as follows: Mrs. J. S. Hill of McKinney and Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Parris.

Music by the Anna trio, music by the McKinney group; vocal solo, Byron England; announcements, adjournment.

Among The neighbors, out-of-town guests, former members and former pastors who mingled with the crowds Sunday, we observed: Arthur Hill, L. R. Gibson, Van Hill, all of Dallas; Sam Hill, Mrs. J. S. Hill and daughter, Miss Mary Hill, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Speck, Will Hight and wife; Mr. and Mrs. Joe McKinney, Mrs. Lily England, Byron England, Mrs. W. S. Wysong and son, Charles; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gibson, Rev. and Mrs. G. O. Key, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mr. and Mrs. Ed Walden, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Carroll and daughter, Betty Lou; Miss Hallie Coffey, County Tax Collector N. D. Ready, Mrs. Aurel Belden, Mrs. Pearl Strother, county court clerk; Mrs. W. S. Barnes, Prof. and Mrs. Earl Slaughter and little daughter, Ruby Lynn, all of McKinney, besides many others.

Mrs. Marietta Lair and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Strother and daughters, Eberlee Lair and wife, Mrs. Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Riggins, A. L. Harkins, wife and son, Mrs. Florence Nipp, Miss Anna Lou Powell, Mrs. Walter Strother, Mrs. S. J. Smith, Miss Strother, all of Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. J .D. West of Princeton, Mrs. Harry Jordan and daughters, Ruby and Ruth, of Van Alstyne; Dr. H. H. Ogilvie of San Antonio; Rev. and Mrs. A. L. Leake, Mr. and Mrs. Forterley of Piano, Rev. R. J. Fletcher of Commerce; Rev. Joseph Pearce and Mr. Mobley, both of Greenville; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gibson of Athens; Mrs. M. P. Martin of Tyler; Mrs. R. E. Bristol of Lampasas; Mrs. Pirley Ingram and son, of Blue Ridge.

Mrs. J. P. Coffey writes from Dallas to the Weekly Democrat-Gazette as follows: "Please send my paper to Route 1, Van Alstyne, Care C. W. Jernigan, instead of my former address, 710 East Woodin Building, Dallas. I do not wish to miss a single issue of my dear old lifetime family paper." Mrs. Coffey is the widow of the late J. Perry Coffey, who served as County Commissioner for several years, and who died in McKinney a few years ago.

H. Grady Chandler, 1203 South Broadway, Tyler, Texas, sends Daily Courier-Gazette renewal cash for the paper to September 1, 1934. Mr. and Mrs. Chandler are both natives of this county, where he served as County Attorney until he was appointed Assistant Attorney General of Texas. He later served two or three years as a professor in the Law Department of the State university, at Austin, resigning the latter position sometime ago to enter the private practice at Tyler, Texas.

25 YEARS AGO IN M'KINNEY

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(June 5, 1909.)

Henry Leigh of Melissa was a business visitor at our office today.

Miss Sarah Harris has gone to Houston to visit her sister, Mrs. W. F. Arledge. They are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Plummer Harris.

Prof. Shirley Graves has returned from Waco where he has been a member of the faculty of the Texas Christian university during the past year. He will soon enter Chicago university for summer study.

J. D. Rattan, an extensive North Collin farmer, was in McKinney today and paid the Weekly Democrat-Gazette another year's subscription.

Capt. W. H. Bristol has gone to Memphis, Tennessee, to attend the ex-Confederate reunion. After that event, he will visit his old home and relatives in North Carolina.

The McKinney Christian church has a quarter of a page ad in this evening's issue of this paper, which reads, "We are in real earnest, no lagging. We want you at the Sunday school of the First Christian church tomorrow. Nine large classrooms, fourteen excellent classes, good every Sunday morning. We have reached 272 attendance and want to make it 300 tomorrow. Children's Day program at 3:15 p. m. tomorrow. We are out for the good of the children."

Rev. Alma Farley, young Baptist minister of this county, and Miss Inez Randles, both of East Collin, were united in marriage Monday evening at 8:00 o'clock at the home of Rev. J. Ben Snider, North Coderan street, this city, Rev. Snider officiating. They were accompanied by Owen Randles, Miss Rachel Johnson and Miss Asalee Randles. The bride is the daughter of Sam Randles of Blue Ridge while the groom is a son of J. W. Farley of the Altoga community. Both are receiving the best wishes of scores of friends. The groom is pastor of the Routh and Valdasta Baptist churches.

I. P. Carr, who has been confined to his home for some time, continues to improve.

Onions are coming in on the local market.

Homecoming At Prosper Sunday At M. E. Church

Sunday, June 10, will be observed as Homecoming day by the Prosper Methodist church of which Rev. W. D. Craig is pastor. Rev. C. L. Bowen of Farmersville will preach the 11:00 o'clock sermon and Rev. Guy F. Jones, of Dallas will occupy the pulpit at 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon. All former pastors, presiding elders and members are invited and urged to attend. Luncheon will be served by the church ladies in the spacious basement of the splendid big brick church edifice.

Prosper is in the midst of the choicest agricultural section of North Texas. Rev. Mr. Craig is an effective and popular pastor. Backed by his loyal membership, a loyal welcome will be extended all who find it possible to attend this year's homecoming.

YOUR HOME TOWN

SEEN HERE AND THERE

A friend, this morning, drops by to discuss the habit of some citizens, who, unconsciously, turn on their radios with full force and play them into the wee small hours of the night . . . "I wish you'd call attention in your column to those radio owners who play their radios so loud that neighbors for a block or more around are often disturbed," he said . . . "Furthermore," he added "they keep their machines turned on until midnight and after, so that it is practically impossible for one to sleep" . . . We don't believe anyone in the city would intentionally thus disturb their neighbors . . . It is only natural that we turn on the machines, go on about our household chores and, if the radio becomes too loud, we oftimes are not conscious of the fact . . . Hence, this suggestion (and we're including ourselves, too) to all those who enjoy tuning in on the "ether" each night, to keep the machines toned down . . . They'll sound much better to us and we'll have the everlasting love of our neighbors for our thoughtfulness . . . During the winter few complaints of this sort are made . . . However, in the summer time, with windows and doors wide open, there is nothing to keep the sound from traveling hither and yon . . . If you want your neighbor to love you (and who doesn't?) let's keep our radios tuned down this summer; try it and watch your neighbors smile.

LT.-GOV. WITT

McKinney and Collin county voters are invited to hear Lieutenant-Governor Edgar Witt tonight at 8:00 o'clock at the courthouse. The lieutenant-governor is waging a vigorous campaign for the governorship and his many friends in this city and county are predicting a large turnout of voters to hear him tonight.

WORDS OF WISDOM.

We get just exactly we prepare for, and nothing else. Everything that happens is a sequence; this happened today because you did that yesterday.

HAPPINESS

There are sources of happiness that are quite independent of money. A millionaire does not enjoy a book more than a poor man. Plain food tastes as good to a worker who has earned his dinner as do the choicest delicacies to the man whose appetite is jaded from an unnatural diet. The outdoors is as beautiful to a factory girl as to the wife of a factory owner, and the member of the sandlot ball team gets as much fun out of his sport as does a polo player. To understand such things is wisdom. —The Neighbor.

ABOUT THE WEATHER

We were glad to note a slight breeze blowing over the city early Wednesday morning. It was very delightful after several days of very hot, dry weather with apparently no breeze at all, although the mercury was expected to climb during the day. "Your Home Town" likes hot weather as do hundreds of other McKinneyites but, as we have often stated before, the chiggers, the sunburn and the still, hot days just don't get over very well with us—unless we have a few cool intermissions in between.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Rufus A. Furr has received a letter from her sister, Mrs. Grover Moritz of Carrollton, Missouri, stating that crop prospects up there are fairly good at the present time. However, farmers were beginning to need rain pretty badly in that particular section of Missouri. Mrs. Moritz was formerly Miss Grace Rice of McKinney. She is also a sister of Mrs. Otis Nelson of this city and a daughter of Mrs. John R. Wilson of North Kentucky street, this city.

Rev and Mrs. Geo. W. Day, and son, Claud and Robert Dale, and Mrs. Day's sister, Miss Sarah Bright all of Rio Hondo, Cameron county, Texas, are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bright and family. Mrs. Day and Miss Bright are sisters of Mr. Bright.

J. B. Hooker of Farmersville and son-in-law, Jack Byrd of Sulphur Springs have returned from a fishing trip to Mexico. They fished at Don Martin lake, eighty miles south of Laredo, where they found the best of luck. Don Martin lake, they say, is a fisherman's paradise.

Ted Celino, who has been manager of the Chicago here, has gone to Pontiac to assume the management of the store there. Mrs. Celino, Dan, who has been in Pontiac, will assist Joe Gerlach in the management of the McKinney store.

T. M. STAPLES ENTERS RACE FOR STATE SENATOR

NATIVE OF WYLIE—SOME OF HIS VIEWS PUBLIC QUESTIONS

T. M. Staples of Wylie authorizes the Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette to insert his announcement for the office of State Senator from this, the Tenth Senatorial District, which is composed of Collin, Hunt, Rockwall and Rains counties.

Mr. Staples is a native of this county, having been born at Wylie, nearly forty years ago. He is a son of Dr. T. O. Staples, a highly esteemed physician and a pioneer business man of Wylie, where the son received his public school education and then later attended Texas A. & M. college, and also the University of Texas. He is well educated and one of our county's most intelligent and affable citizens.

He served in the World war from May, 1917, until July 1919. He has had much experience in dealing with the public and is at this time President of the School Board of the Wylie Independent District.

He is public spirited and always desires to see his community, county, district and state make progress along all lines.

He is an ardent Democrat, believing in its principles and tenets of the great Democratic party and is heart and soul behind our able Democratic President, Franklin Delano Roosevelt, and his New Deal.

Mr. Staples submits the following as some of his personal views on various phases of state government and public policy to enlighten the sovereign voters on the matter of choosing their next State Senator:

* * *

Statement by T. M. Staples.

It is my ambition to be of public service to my county, district and state in some humble and beneficial way. Hence, I am outlining a few of my views in presenting my candidacy for the important office to represent the Tenth District in the Upper Branch of the Texas Legislature.

I have had considerable experience and observation by virtue of my service in a military way for our beloved country during the World war and in dealing with the public and the cause of education as a member of the Wylie Independent School District Board of Education and now as President of that Board.

This being a farming country and I having actually been engaged in farming, I am quite familiar with the problems of the farm and those who till the soil. I should and do feel that I am qualified to serve in a helpful way in our upper lawmaking body of Texas to work out a more equitable consideration for the farmers and every other class and group of taxpayers and citizenship of the Tenth Senatorial District.

I have always been an interested and diligent student of Government and economic and business conditions. This preparation will enable me to help serve more effectively in the readjustment of our state government in all its branches to meet the changed financial status of the taxpayers, whose interests must be closely watched and relieved of the tax burdens upon them.

Being familiar with the workings of our educational system, it is my desire that money be made available in school funds so that the scholastic per capita will be readily available and adequate as needed. This is very important as the future of our state and nation depend on the welfare and progress of our public schools system.

It is my desire to speedily eliminate the unfortunate condition that now exists in which many of our teachers are forced to wait for their salaries long after they have earned them; often loyally teaching months without their pay due to the unfortunate lack of available school funds.

Believing that the children and rising generations of our state should not be neglected in the matter of their education, I will endeavor to place or have a part in helping to place our Texas school system upon a permanent plane of stability that every citizen may point to with pride in the future.

Realizing that the foundation of our nation has been built upon the fruits of the toil of our forefathers, and, knowing that there can be no adequate compensation for those sacrificial labors of our forbears, it is my firm belief that we should have incorporated in our state laws and upon our statute books an old age pension provision for the worthy men and women when they arrive at the age of forced retirement and dependency by physical disability to longer meet the demands of an exacting competitive industrial system. It is nothing more than right and justice that the state should show appreciative consideration for the welfare of the aged who have spent their lives in useful, honest toil in developing its resources and adding to its taxable wealth and assets through their prime and productive years.

I am also in favor of the reg the automobile license fee. There are numerous good reasons suggesting this be done for the benefit of the public welfare.

I am also in favor of the registration system as pre-requisite of franchise instead of our present poll tax system.

In any discussion of government the paramount question of taxation is always important and opportune. Our real estate taxation is really oppression, burdensome and has been the cause of many of our best citizens losing their life earnings and homes in both rural and urban districts. Feeling that there should be a more equitable redistribution of tax burdens, I am in favor of an Equity Real Estate Tax.

I am also in favor of an intangible tax law that would be strict enough to reach that portion of personal assets that through connivence and manipulation ordinarily escape their just share of tax burdens. In proposing this law, it is my desire to place their proportionate share of taxation upon those most able to bear it and who have been more or less successful in escaping their share of government load upon real estate and business.

I am strictly in favor of reducing governmental costs and, along with it, a corresponding reduction in taxation. As a means of reducing cost of Government, I would favor if elected, the abolishment of useless bureaus and expensive Commissions. Am also in favor of consolidations of Bureaus where expense of administration can be reduced without sacrifice to public service. These will mean a savings of thousands of dollars to the hard-pressed taxpayers of our state.

Realizing the faulty and cumbersome structure of our judiciary, I am heartily in favor of some effective reform that will tend to eliminate delays, costly court continuation and inadequate or indifferent law enforcement. These can be brought about by a wise consolidation of courts and abolishment of the fee system, which would do much to relieve the unsatisfactory practices and conditions obtaining in our judiciary system.

If you will elect me to this honor, you will not only gratify my laudable ambition as a native son of Texas, but will clothe me with power to really act as your public servant at the State Capital in carrying into effect your desires in these and other legislative ways.

I shall make an active and thorough canvass of the district and hope to meet you personally and to have your friendship and suffrage at the ballot box when you come to vote in the Democratic Primary of July 2 for your next State Senator.

Laymen Day Speakers Are Announced

District Lay Leader W. Hammond Moore of McKinney announces several engagements for laymen to speak at the 11:00 o'clock services next Sunday morning, June 10, in several Methodist churches as follows:

Travis Street Methodist church, Sherman, H. H. Neilson.

Celina, Judge Wallace Hughston.

Princeton, Judge George P. Brown.

South Wilcox Street Methodist church, McKinney, Judge G. R. Smith.

First Church, McKinney, Col. C. C. Walsh, of Dallas, chairman, Federal Reserve Bank Board.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fitzgerald and Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Pope attended graduation exercises at C. I. A. in Denton Monday morning Miss Sarah Elizabeth Fitzgerald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald, was one of the graduates, receiving her B. A. degree. She is remaining at the college this summer where she has started work on her M. A. degree.

25 YEARS AGO IN M'KINNEY

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(June 3, 1909.)

Today is the 100th anniversary of the birth of Jefferson Davis, president of the Confederacy. It is a legal holiday in Texas and several other Southern states.

R. L. Ray, agent at McKinney, wrote the second largest amount of life insurance for the Southwestern Life Insurance company last month in the entire state.

Mrs. A. M. Swan died suddenly yesterday morning at her residence on North Chestnut street. She was born in Mead county, Ky., March 28, 1837, being in her 73rd year. Her maiden name was Amanda Crutcher. She was married in 1870 to the late Richard Swan and the same year came to Texas and settled in McKinney. Her husband was in the saloon business in this city where he died many years ago. She was buried yesterday afternoon in Pecan Grove cemetery.

The graduating exercises of the McKinney High school were held at the Opera house this forenoon. Graduates: Mary Launa Franklin, Cleora Mae Harris, Margaret Rachel Erwin, Jessie Mae Nelson, Dan Garnett McKinney; Madie Lee Gough, Elizabeth Emerson, Coy Evans Stockard, Jennie Olive Lewis, Lucille Maude Brough, Horace B. Dowell, Reymond B. Stacey. Mrs. L. C. Clifton awarded the medals to the honor graduates.

MELISSA

Mrs. Ethel Bridgefarmer

After suffering a general breakdown more than two years ago and never fully recovering, O. Slaughter, suffered a serious attack some three weeks ago and after three or four days of intense suffering passed away Friday night, May 24, about 9 o'clock. The funeral was held at the family home two miles south of Anna Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. A large crowd of neighbors, near friends and relatives gathered to pay their last respects to the memory and the deceased and console the bereaved surviving family. Burial followed in Highland cemetery where the deceased had many relatives resting including his parents, two of his brothers, W. P. (Uncle Billy) Slaughter and Mathew Slaughter, and the following sisters, Mrs. DeSoto Collins, Mrs. Mary Strother, Mrs. Chas. Wysong. Another sister, Mrs. George Coffman, is resting in the Coffman family cemetery. A brother "Uncle Jesse Slaughter", sleeps in Stony Point cemetery. Mr. Slaughter was the last of his immediate family of brothers and sisters. He is survived by his wife who is the only surviving child of Dr. W. D. Lair and by the following children: Mrs. M. C. Powell, E. O. Slaughter, both of Anna and Miss Helen Slaughter of Dallas, also by thirteen grandchildren, and a host of nephews, nieces and other relatives.

Osburn Slaughter was born in Kentucky, November 11, 1850, being at the time of his death 83 years, 6 months and 15 days old. His parents were Mr. and Mrs. James Slaughter. Mr. Slaughter was married to Miss Maria Lair, May 9, 1878, in a big home wedding at the home of the bride's father, Dr. W. D. Lair, west of Anna one and a half miles. They only had three children, all of whom before mentioned, survive. Mr. Slaughter was converted and joined the old Highland Baptist church in his young manhood. Later when the church was moved and divided he moved his membership to Anna where he has always belonged.

Isaac Crouch funeral director of McKinney had charge of funeral arrangements. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. M. H. Barnett, pastor of the church and Rev. G. B. Airhart of McKinney, who is a life-long friend of the family. Special music was furnished by a qaurtet. A long procession followed the remains to Highland cemetery. The pallbearers were: Mr. Butler, Steve Winn, Lewis Baldwin, Frank Luscomb, Rosea Luscomb. Many beautiful flowers covered the grave.

Mrs. Ray Wilson and attractive little daughter, Peth Ann, of Waco are guests of her parents, Judge and Mrs. J. M. Muse, in this city. They are also visiting her husband's parents, Postmaster and Mrs. Wallace C. Wilson, while here.

Dr. John Lord, pastor of the Wylie Christian church, is having fine congregations and hearings each time he fills his pulpit. Dr. Lord is a clear headed, intelligent pastor who is becoming very popular in the Southeast Collin town where he is now pastoring.

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SAM RAYBURN.

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For State Senator (10th Senatorial District):
WALLACE HUGHSTON.
J. W. (Joe) McCULLOUGH.
T. M. STAPLES.

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For Flortorial Representative, Collin-Grayson Counties:
GROVER BURTON.

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For Local Representative:
T. O. MURRAY.
BYRON ENGLAND.
J. D. LYONS.

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For District Clerk:
L. A. (LONNIE) SEARS.
For Re-election
TOM L. BAILEY.
FLOYD W. TAYLOR.

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For Sheriff:
G. J. S. WALKER.
(Re-election Second Term)
W. A. (WILL) KERBY

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For County Attorney:
HORACE H. NEILSON.

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For Assessor-Collector:
F. T. N. (NICK) HOOD
N. D. READY.

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For County Clerk:
MRS. PEARL STROTHER.
(Re-election second term)

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For County Superintendent:
ROY R. JAMES
L. DOW HENDRICKS.
(Re-election second term.)
J. W. MOSELEY.

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For County Treasurer:
MISS LELA COPELAND
CECIL M. HIGHT

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For Commissioner Precinct 1:
ALVIN BROWN.
DON O. DAVIS
FERDINAND SHERLEY.

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For Commissioner Precinct 2:
PAUL R. HARRIS.
JACK ENLOE.
JACK FRYER.
LEVI BASS
J. W. (WILSON) SPAIN.

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For Commissioner Precinct No. 3:
C. C. WHITT.
J. D. (DOC) PEEL.
G. A. (Arthur) PRESS.
EDGAR LAMM.
J. M. (JIM) HALE.

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For Commissioner Precinct No. 4.
G. FRANK KERBY.
R. C. FORTNER.

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Justice of Peace Precinct No. 1:
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ANNA

Miss Lula Estep

a recent meeting of the An- school board the entire facul- with Prof. W. L. Roper as intendent and Miss Janice or, principal, have been re- ed. The school term just d has been a most successs- me.

and Mrs. Boone Barger of Worth visited friends and ives here Sunday.

and Mrs. Page Mason of s were Sunday guests of the 's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. ord.

and Mrs. Johnnie Capps three children of San Marcos Miss Jewel Capps of near a visited Mrs. Nora Baldwin ay

and Mrs. Paul Cravens of were guests Sunday of the er's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cravens.

sdames Alton Nixon and ren and Corbin Nixon, of er visited relatives here Sun- afternoon.

and Mrs. Bill Ray of Van ne were week-end guests of Ora Daniel and Mrs. Jewel ps.

and Mrs. H. C. Ramsey children of McKinney were r guests Sunday of Mr. and Bert Brinlee.

and Mrs. George Robinson owlett were guests Sunday r. and Mrs. Monroe Rob-

s. Elizabeth of Dallas is ng her daughter, Mrs. H. G. and family

FROGNOT

Mrs. Etta Rice

o. Hilger of Greenville hed at the school house Sun- afternoon. He will preach fourth Sunday afternoon at lock. Everybody invited to out and hear him.

o. Jim Hudson of Blue Ridge preach each First Sunday noon at 3 o'clock.

thur Bullock spent Saturday with Cecil Rice.

veral neighbors went in and J. M. Boren a day's work Monday. His wife has been the past five months. Those worked were Mr. Webb, Dixon, Grover, Will Martin, Wallace, Armon Bayless, n Patterson, Will Braswell, Braswell, Cecil Rice. Mr. is quite thankful to his bors for their kindness to

s Damon Pate of White visited her cousins, Misses ed and Willie Braswell, the -end.

r school closed Friday with dinner. Several ball games played in the afternoon. nderstand the same teach- will teach another year: Fagg and Miss Aisla Dix-

W. Pate visited John Ham- Sunday.

W. Lambden, Arthur Bul- Arby and Cecil Rice visited Hammer Sunday morning.

nk Byars, wife and babies, Saturday night and Sunday her parents, Mr. and Mrs. n, of Valdasta.

e McDonald and wife of s visited his parents, W. F. nald and family, the past -end.

s Retha Opal Rice visited Luia Mae Brewer of Fay- the past week-end.

over Dixon and J. M. Boren a business trip to McKin- Saturday.

J. McDonald was a business r in McKinney Saturday.

ARDATH

Mrs. Jess Bates

W. Gerron is real sick with shingles.

s. Ebert Evans has a spider on her leg that has given much trouble.

arley Dunn is visiting his Mrs. Henry Wilcox, and y.

gil Gerron has the measles.

e. W. P. Hartsell is having teeth extracted.

and Mrs. Ex Ward have w boy.

and Mrs. Tom Bover are ding Monday with Mr. and Lee Poston at Ash Grove. occasion was Mr. Poston's day.

s. Hubert Smith accompa- her mother, Mrs. Green son, home from Red River y for a brief visit.

rdene Sumners was operated ast week for appendicitis. s doing nicely.

and Mrs. O. G. Henry and y Dowell Bomar visited Pink y at Melissa Sunday.

s. Jack Ray of Altoga and spent Saturday with Mr. and Weatherford at Ardath.

and Mrs. John Lawson, Hattie Baxter and daughter, mogene and Elevyne Ger- Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bass, Mr. Mrs. Jess Bates and little Forrest Bomar and Fairest on of Princeton, have been ding the bedside of J. W. on.

nneth Johnson has the mea-

gil Gerron spent Monday at Jess Bates' home.

e of the best women in our munity was called by death 16. She had asthma all her and had taken pneumonia and les, being critically ill only days.

e little Gunter twins have measles.

Jack Mahan has resigned irector of the Farmersville third place winners in a statewide contest, and ork to his home in Texar- Lack of funds caused his ation, it is said.

FRISCO

Mrs. W. B. Staley Jr.

Mith Ruth Marcom of McKin- ney is visiting Miss Verta Louise McCauley.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Haggard attended decoration at Frankford cemetery near Addison Sunday.

Mrs Maurine Carter of Dallas spent the week-end with her par- ents.

Rev and Mrs. R. W. Roe are visiting their daughters, Mes- dames J. O. Guinn and J. E. Bryant, at Snider.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hill of Dallas attended the baccalau- reate service here Sunday and visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bruce.

Jim Brewer, who has been se- riously ill for the past week, is reported somewhat improved.

Mrs. J. W. Moody, who has been quite sick for several months is unimproved.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clarke and Mrs. Mattie Carter were Dallas visitors last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Shelton and Mrs. Ada Stacey of Dallas visited relatives and friends in Frisco Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Theresa Miller, who has been very ill for the past three weeks, is improving.

THOMPSON

Miss Louise Talley, Corr.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burnett spent Sunday, Mother's day, with their parents. They brought gifts and all en- joyed dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Plumbee and little daughter, Edna Lynn, of Dallas spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. B. Talley.

Mrs. Clark Akin and daughter, Maurine, of Culleoka, Miss Lou- ise Talley were all McKinney visitors Saturday night.

Mrs. Al Whitsell spent Tues- day afternoon with Mrs. Frank Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Lacy vis- ited the latter's mother, Mrs. J. J. Miller, at Melissa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rutledge, Mr. and Mrs. Bois Campbell were McKinney visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Stand- ley and children of Snow Hill spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Whitsell and son, Odell, were Farmersville vis- itors Saturday.

Misses Elizabeth Darland, Lou- ise Talley spent Thursday night with Miss Mildred Bralley of Mesquite.

Mrs. Mart Akin, who has been sick the past week, is better.

Mrs Jackson of Oklahoma is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. Mart Akin.

Several from here attended church at Culleoka Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Burnett and little son Jr. are visiting her mother, Mrs. Brown, of Oklahoma this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Darland and family spent Saturday night and Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Pearl Hamil, of McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Bryant and children were McKinney visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vestus Jackson and children of Mesquite spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Mart Akin.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Shipps and children spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. J. J. Hood of Farmersville.

Clark Lewis, Marshall and Wil- lie B. Talley visited at the home of Al Whitsell Sunday afternoon.

Clark Akin was a McKinney visitor Friday.

Miss Jewel Langly of Prince- ton spent Sunday with her sis- ter, Mrs. Frank Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wauson were bedtime guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Whitsell Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Sams have moved to McKinney. We are sorry to lose them from our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rains and family spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Tom Rains of Princeton.

Mrs. Bill Anderson of McKin- ney is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Morgan vis- ited his parents Saturday near McKinney.

Mr. and rMs. Albert Russell and little daughter of Henrds Ranch spent Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dar- land.

Miss Maurine Akin of Culleoka spent Friday with Miss Louise Talley.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wauson entertained the young folks with a party Monday night.

Miss Mary Ruth Sneed left Monday for Austin where she will take a summer course in the Law Department of the University of Texas, working on her Law De- gree. She was accompanied by Miss Mary Frances Wallace who is visiting her father, Rev. John Wallace, pastor of the First Bap- tist church, at Franklin, Texas. Miss Gross of Shamrock, Texas, also accompanied them. She en- ters the university summer ses- sion. Miss Gross is a niece of Mrs. Leslie Smith of McKinney.

Criminal week in county court will begin Monday, June 18. Ci- vil week, jury and non-jury, will be held Monday, June 25, with County Judge J. Frank Harring- ton presiding. County officials are preparing for the term, with a large number of cases to be called.

Dr. W. T. Heard is reported quite ill at his home, 431 West Lamar street. His many friends hope to see him up and out again soon.

CHAMBERSVILLE

Mrs. Duland Scott.

The many friends of Mrs. W. D. Thompson here and elsewhere deeply sympathize with her in the death of her sister, Mrs. Sal- lie Buckley Whitfield, who pass- ed away at her home, May 2, in Oklahoma City at the age of 67 years. It will be remembered that Mrs. Thompson lost another sis- ter, Mrs. Lizzie Chambers, not many months ago. This leaves only Mrs. Thompson and one brother, Willie E. Buckley, of Fort Worth of this family born and reared on the farm now owned by Mr. and Mrs. Thomp- son.

Rain is being badly needed on growing crops and gardens.

Mrs. C. L. Nixon and children of Anna spent Monday with Mmes. J. K. Drury and J. R. Close.

Mrs. J. R. Frisby, Mrs. A. P. Dickerson and Mrs. B. C. Thomp- son attended a shower in the home of Mrs. O. M. Howard in McKinney Saturday evening hon- oring Mrs. R. L. Hume of Cham- bersville.

Master Ross Orenduff Jr., of McKinney is spending his vaca- tion with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Kissin- ger of Paris spent Wednesday with his sister, Mrs. J. C. Good- night.

Wentley W Cantrell and L. Z. Bennett spent Sunday in Dallas. They visited the former's sister, Miss Cantrell, at Buckner Or- phans' home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Moseley of McKinney were guests over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Littrell.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Scott ac- companied by Mrs. J. C. Good- night spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. Y. Ferrell and family in Sherman ,motoring over to Col- bert, Okla., in the afternoon to visit relatives.

Dr. Clifford S. Weaver and Mrs. Weaver of McKinney were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Harris Wednesday.

Cecil Snellgrove went to Green- ville Sunday to meet his mother and attend graduation exercises, having two cousins in the class. Cecil's mother is Mrs. E. R. Ross, a nurse in the Insane asylum at Terrell.

Thursday evening, May 17, the members of the senior class were entertained by their sponsor, Miss Bee Littrell, with a picnic in Finch Park and a theater party at the Ritz theater.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Bryan of Albuquerque, New Mexico, visited Mrs. John F. Chandler and family last Friday.

Mrs. Noel Martin supervisor of the Chambersville 4-H Girls club and Mrs. O. S. Scott attended the short course at C. I. A. Denton Friday.

The ladies aid society will meet Monday, May 28, at 1 p. m. with Mrs. W. S. Hitchcock, leader. Bring hoes to work the hedge.

Mrs. R. M. Cox and son, Louis, Mrs. Tom Jordan and Miss Eve- lyn Cox heve attending the bed- side of R. M. Cox in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Anderson of McKinney.

Sam Robison spent Sunday in Dallas.

Berlyn Scott of Hillsboro and Glen Scott of McKinney visited their parents Thursday.

Miss Helen Dunlap, county home agent, met with the 4-H club girls Thursday and gave a canning demonstration.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

"Leadership," was the subject of Dr. Minor Bounds, pastor of the First Methodist church of McKinney in an address before the eight members of the 1934 graduating class of the Cham- bersville school in commence- ment exercises held at the church Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Dr. Bounds made an inspiring and in- teresting address which climaxed a fine program, arranged by class sponsor, Miss Bee Littrell. Other features of the program in- cluded the presentations of di- plomas by Supt. W. H. Frasier and acceptance of diplomas by Juanita Self. The presentation of a beautiful painting to the school board by Madee Redden and J. R. Frisby accepted the gift in be- half of the board. Supt. Frasier states that some good work has been done by the pupils in ev- ery department of the school this term and he and the efficient corps of teachers are pleased with the work as a whole. The program follows:

"Processional, Miss Bee Lit- trell.

"Invocation," Dr. Minor Bounds.

Chorus, choir.

Piano solo, Claudia Hunter.

Address, Dr. Minor Bounds.

Presentation of diplomas, Supt. W. H. Frasier.

Acceptance of diplomas, Juani- ta Self.

Benediction, Dr. Bounds.

Class roll: Madee Redden, Juan- ita Self, Mary Chandler, Amelia Rodgers, Lhurada Pittman, Mau- rice Marshall, Melvin Giles and Joe Taylor.

Following the close of school the teachers have returned to their respective homes—Miss Ruth White to Dallas Miss Bee Lit- trell to Anna; Miss Merle Cope- land to Blue Ridge; Prof. W. Harold to Farmersville; Mrs. R. R. Littrell and husband will re- main at Chambersville for the vacation period. They reside in the teacherage.

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Dr. Bounds was accompanied to Chambersville by Mrs. Bounds and Misses Alma Bright and No- ra Bess Kluttz of McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond B. Lit- trell attended the funeral of the infant son (Paul Leon) of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Littrell at Coff- man Sunday.

Several from here attended the funeral of Mrs. J. W. Farley at Altoga. Our sympathy goes out to the bereaved ones. Mrs. Farley was the stepmother of Mrs. W. O. Herron who with her husband own and operate the Herron store here.

WOMBLE

Miss Jewel Harben

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Shannon of Farmersville spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Evans.

Dennis Coleman spent a few days recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Coleman, of Jose- phine.

Mrs. John Womble and daugh- ters, Jessie and Wilma of Mid- way spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Womble.

Miss Daphne Andrews of Farmersville spent Saturday night with Juanita Harbin.

L. R. Wallace and family of Viney Grove were Sunday guests of his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson.

Several from this community have been attending the bedside of Mr. Willis of Climax.

Mr. Chumley and daughters, Ethel and Mrs. Nelson Grisham of Verona were Sunday after- noon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Al- vin Harbin.

Walter Lee McTee of Verona spent a few days recently with Billie Lee Evans.

Miss Mildred and Odell Craw- ley spent Thursday night with Mrs. Will Tombs of Climax.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Lawson and children of Altoga spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Sulli- van.

Several from here attended the play at Climax and also at Sis- ter Grove last week.

NEW LIBERTY

Mary Ellen Bowden, Corr.

Mrs. Willie Craighead and chil- dren of Cleburne spent last week- end with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Craighead.

Miss Natalie Terry spent Sun- day with Miss Mariella Bowden.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McLeod spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Howell Smith and son, Joe Burt, were in Mc- Kinney Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson and daughters, Misses Opal Beck- nell and Lillie Mae Mathis at- tended the county wide seventh grade graduation exercises Sat- urday.

Mabron and Oleta Johnsons spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bowden.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Otha McLeod on Wednesday, May 23, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson and daughters spent Sunday with Mr. Johnson's parents.

NEW LIFE

Mrs. Jack Airhart

Miss Strelsa Lee Graves of Altoga spent Friday and Satur- day with Miss Fern Porter.

Tom Airhart attended the horse races at Sherman Thurs- day and Friday.

Glen D. Porter of Melissa visit- ed his sbrother, George Porter, and family last week.

Several from here attended the funeral of Mrs. J. W. Farley at Altoga Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Airhart and children, Mrs. Eva Rowe and Mrs. D. L. Baker visited Mrs. Hugh Clark and family at Pilot Point Sunday.

Miss Lemna, Bonnie and Bon- nie Price of Carmbliss, visited Jack Airhart and family Wed- nesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stroup and son, Marcus, visited her par- ents, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Todd, of Westimnster the past week- end.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Headrick had as their guests Sunday their son, Francis Headrick and fami- ly of Dallas, Mrs. Stewart and children of Wylie and Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge Stewart of Cli- max.

S. W. Porter and family of Melissa spent Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. Andy Rogers, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Richardson were Sherman visitors Saturday.

BURROW

Mrs. W. W. Wright

The farmers are getting along nicely with their farm work; fall grain is being harvested and canning greens, beans, peas, and berries keep the women busy.

Mrs. R. L. Gray and family visited Mr. and Mrs. W .W. Wright and family Thursday night.

Mmes. Sam and Isaac Eddle- man spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Milt Cantley.

Miss Treon Streetman spent Saturday night with Misses Ru- by and Gwendolyn McCord.

Mrs. W. W. Wright and chil- dren, Edwin and Marie Shook, spent Sunday afternoon in Green- ville.

Mrs. Louis Wright visited her daughter, Mrs. Earl Anderson, Friday afternoon.

Quite a number from this place attended the baccalaureate ser- mon at Royse Baptist church for Royse High school graduates.

Alma Eubanks accompanied her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Myers to Dallas for a visit.

Miss Charline Mays was Queen from Burrow at the pageant held at Josephine Thursday night.

Several attended the funeral of Bonnie Jean, eleven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Sloane of Graham Point, which was held at Royse Baptist church Friday.

Mrs John McCord and children spent Sunday with their son and brother, Herbert McCord and wife at Union.

Mrs. Melt Cantly spent last week-end in Dallas with her daughters.

Charlie Neeley of Blackland spent Sunday with his son, Jack Neeley ,and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Williams were Greenville visitors Friday.

Mrs. Harry Knipp entertained with a shower honoring her sis- ter-in-law, Mrs. Truman Cathey, Saturday afternoon. After inter- esting games, ice cream and an- gel food cake were served to the following: Mmes. Truman Cathey, honoree; Holey Cathey, Dennis Williams, Lester Williams, Aubrey Anderson, W. W. Wright, Dovie Carr, Hattie Beth Beene, B. H. Huguley, Frances Fogus and Gil- mer Williams of Dallas and No- lan Cathey of Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Anderson and little son, Swayne, and Mrs. Cecil Anderson spent Saturday night with their mother, Mrs. Louis Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Myers of Jo- sephine spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Irvin Eubanks, and family, little Miss Betty Jo Eu- banks ,accompanied her grand- parents home for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hamilton left Thursday for a visit to their children, Prof. Truman Hamilton and wife, who are teaching at Roaring Springs, and Prof. and Mrs. Elton Ballard, at Metador. They attended the closing exer- cises at the Metador school which their daughter, Mrs. Ballard and husband, have taught for several years.

Miss Opal McCaskie has re- turned from an extended visit with friends in Dallas.

Robt. Douglas was a business visitor to Dallas Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilmer Williams and fine little son of Dallas spent the week-end with relatives.

Mrs. Dennis Williams and lit- tle son, Dennis Carrol, visited Miss Ila Tidwell one afternoon last week.

Louis Wright and son-in-law, Cecil Anderson, and nephews, Jack Davis, and Wilmot Wright, went to Greenville Lake Satur- day for a fishing party. They re- port a fine time and lots of fish caught.

Mrs. A. L. Noeland was visit- ing in Dallas one day last week.

Quite a number from this place attended graduating exercises at Royse High school Friday night.

The buildings for the new gin have been completed and is ready for machinery to be installed.

Marvin Faulkner, one of our grocerymen has a new ice house and is ready to furnish his customers ice.

Mrs. Jack Dodd of Paris is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hamilton.

Miss Charline Mays spent one night last week with Miss Leona Mae Crowell.

Buster Crowell, who has been ill since before Caristmas, is slightly improved. His many friends hope he will soon recover and be able to enter school next fall.

JAMESTOWN

Mrs. A. C. Prestidge

Several from this community attended decoration at Indian Creek Sunday.

Mrs. J. A. James visited her daughter, Mrs. Bill Goforth Sun- day.

Little Glendolene Smott spent Saturday night with Wanda Mae.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Howard were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jenkins and baby of McKinney are spending a few days with Mrs. Geneva Harrington.

Mr. and Mrs. George McNeese and children spent one night last week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. McNeese.

Mrs. Jack Albertson of New Orleans, La., visited her sister, Mrs. Bill Prestige, last week.

Little Cleon Acuff has come to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hollis

Miss Gladys Bellows of Anna spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bellows.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Smott vis- ited Mr. and Mrs. Hines Smoot at Sedelia Saturday night.

School will come to a close next Friday, June 1. There will be two nights of entertainments. Thursday night the small chil- dren will give a program and Friday night the higher grades with the help of outsiders will present the play ,"Finger Prints." Everyone invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Burlin Smoot spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. M Umphress.

The school children enjoyed a party at the community shed Tuesday night.

Sunday afternoon guests of Mrs. Bill Prestige were Mrs. J. A. James, Mrs. Bill Goforth and baby girl, Avora, Mrs. J. D. Umphress and sons and Mrs. Jes- sie Riddle and children.

Miss Irene Sikes spent the week-end with her mother, near Leonard.

Misses Cloys Nevil, Mozelle Smoot and Inabell Price are at home after finishing school at various places.

Miss Velma Smith of New Hope spent a few days last week with Mrs. C. B. Hollis.

John R. McCarley of Blue Ridge visited Aaron White Sun- day.

Friends in and around here are congratulating Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Richardson who were mar- ried in Durant, Okla., Saturday, May 26. Following the ceremony they spent Saturday night in Sulphur, Okla. Mrs. Richardson, before her marriage was Miss Niles White, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. White. She has attended N. T. S. T. C. and E. T. S. T. C. She has taught school at Whiterock for the past four years and will leave at the same place the fol- lowing year. She is an attractive young lady, possessing many friends. The groom is a son of Mr. Richardson of near Valdasta. He finished his schooling at Blue Ridge. He is also the possessor of many friends around here. The many friends of the happy cou- ple extend best wishes to them on their marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Umphres and baby daughter, Peggy Joyce, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Prestige.

Several from here attended the place at Routh Friday night.

NEVADA

Mrs. W. T. McCain

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McSpadden of Greenville visited their son, Ray ,and family, last Wednesday.

Mrs. G. W. Pool Sr. entertain- ed the baseball boys last Monday night and teacher and Ernest Jenkins. Delightful refreshments were served. The hostess was as- sisted in serving by Misses Etta Robinson and Oleta Corry. Mrs. Pool proved to be a gracous hos- tess.

Mrs Dr. Surmur is in Dallas in a hospital where she submit- ted to an appendicitis operation last Friday. She is reported to be doing nicely and her friends wish for her speedy recovery.

Again death claims one of our husbands, father, friend and neighbors. Last Wednesday, Joe Gooch quietly passed to his re- ward after a few days' illness of pneumonia. Rev. John Hilger of Greenville conducted the service. His wife and children and moth- er have the sympathy of the en- tire community.

Mrs. E. E. Addy and family have as their guest, her mother, Mrs. Johnson.

We are sorry to report J. A. Taylor ill.

Mrs. Pratt Sorrells graciously honored Mrs. Earl Adkins with a shower last Friday afternoon. Owing to so much rain, Mrs. Sorrells entertained in the home of her aunt, Mrs. N. J. Davis. Mrs. Earl Adkins will be remem- bered as Miss Alvis Harris be- fore her marriage. A delightful refreshment course was served. Out of town guests were Mrs. J. M. Gay and daughter, Mrs. Earl Walker of McKinney; Mrs. Frank Harris of Denton; Mrs. Geo. Ev- ans of Josephine. The honoree is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harris of Denton but for- merly of this place.

Miss Grace Ford, our music teacher, gave a recital at the school building last Tuesday night. A large crowd was pres- ent.

Mr. and Mrs Coby Robinson of Farmersville spent Sunday in our city.

Mrs. Hal Love of Lufkin is vis- iting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. James.

Misses Lillian, Margaret and Tom Kirby spent Friday in Mc- Kinney.

Misses Opal Frances Veroon, Margaret Kirby, Margaret Mc- Cain and Tom and John Paul Kirby attended the Epworth League meeting at Garland Sat- urday.

Miss Geraldine Addy entertain- ed the senior class, of which she is a member, Monday night. It was quite an elaborate affair and enjoyed by all. Delicious refresh- ments were served. The young hostess was assisted by her moth- er.

Mrs. Paul Sisco entertained the eighth grade class Monday night with a treasure hunt. The affair was enjoyed and delicious ice cream and cake were served. The hostess was assisted by Douglas James and Paul Sisco in serving.

Mrs. Lou Gay has returned from an extended visit to her son, Marvin Gay, and family at Fort Worth.

We are sorry John Mayo is not doing so well. He has been ill for sometime

Miss Tommie Evens, who teaches in Oklahoma, is home with her mother, Mrs. Mary Ev- ans.

Henry Rodgers is visiting his daughter, Miss Pearl, who sub- mitted to an appendicitis opera- tion Wednesday in a Dallas hos- pital. Miss Pearl is a graduate nurse in Dallas.

The P.-T. A. will meet the last Wednesday for the closing meet- ing of this school term, to install new officers for next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith were honored by their children, who brought well filled baskets for dining. Besides the children, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Montgom- ery of Copeville, granddaughter and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. J .W. Akins of Wylie were among those present.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith vis- ited their daughter, Mrs. Huston Gay and husband, in Dallas Sat- urday.

H. O. Johnson, candidate for state railroad commissioner, was a visitor in McKinney, mixing with the voters in the interest of his candidacy. Mr. Johnson was accompanied by two fine young boys who passed out his candi- date cards. Mr. Johnson travels in a bus that is equiped like a "house on wheels," with sleeping quarters, facilities for cooking, and other modern conveniences.

Joe Bailey Wisdom, a former resident of Farmersville and graduate of the Farmersville High school, received his degree recently from the Arizona State Teachers college. He has been in New Mexico and Arizona for sev- eral years working his way through school. We congratulate this fine young man on his per- servance.

R. M. Quisenberry, corner West Louisiana and Bradley streets, has recently had his home nice- ly recovered. Will Braswell, Mc- Kinney carpenter did his work.

The Collin county berry crop was greatly helped by the recent fine rains according to reports from different sections. At Wylie, Jess Cooper, who owns a fine black land farm, east of that lit- tle Collin town, says that he has some of the finest blackberries he has ever seen and the finest he has ever raised. They are much better, he says, than they would have been, had the drouth continued. He says the market for berries is satisfactory this year. He sold his crop long be- fore gathering time. Collin coun- ty's rich black soil is successful to black berries and dewberries but very few of our farm own- ers have ever tried to raise such a crop

Lee Hardin of Plainview spent Sunday and Monday in McKinney attending the bedside of his daughter, Miss Dorothy Hardin, who is a patient in the City hos- pital following an operation to which she submitted Friday, but is improving satisfactorily. Mrs. Jack Warden of this city is al- so a daughter of Mr. Hardin.

Jim Sportsman was called to San Angelo this (Tuesday) morn- ing to attend the bedside of his young son, Leroy, who under- went an appendicitis operation in a hospital there. Mr. Sportsman is salesman for the Paris Whole- sale Grocer company in this city.

K. O. Monroe, of Denison, a registered pharmacist, has ac- cepted a position in W. B. Mitch- ell's drug store. He comes highly recommended as a fine young man and expert pharmacist and we are pleased to learn that he has located in our city and is with the live, progressive drug store of Mr. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. War- den and Mr. and Mrs. Will Ogles- by have returned from a few days' visit in Huntsville with their niece and sister, Mrs. Ray Chap- man, and husband. They also at- tended commencement at A. & M. Mrs. W. H. Sims, who accom- panied them to Huntsville, re- mained for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Chapman.

Mrs. Gilbert Pechacek and at- tractive little daughter, Sherry, of Abilene have arrived for a few weeks' visit with their parents and grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilcox. Mr. Pechacek ac- companied his wife and daughter to McKinney, remaining here for the week-end.

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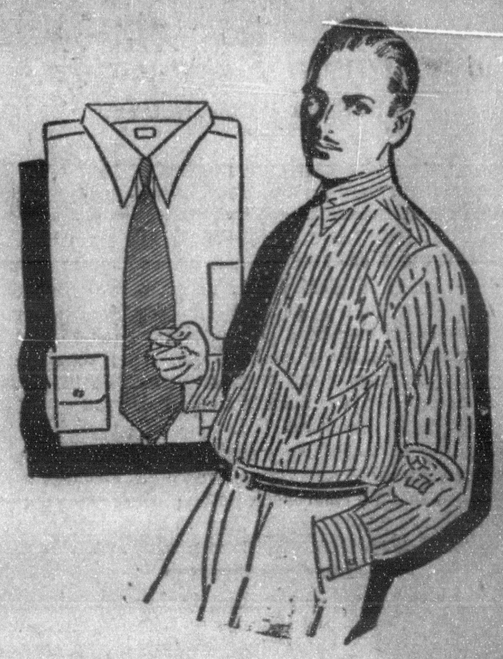

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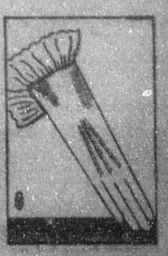

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Editorial Expression

A STEADY FARM INCOME.

The opening of a raw milk market in McKinney offers Collin county farmers an excellent opportunity for diversified farming—a chance to get away from raising cotton exclusively and other one-crop routine which offers an uncertain market and a cash return but once or twice a year.

Collin county is ideal for dairying. First, climatic conditions are such that a dairy herd does not suffer from cold as they do in Northern states. Nor, are cattled subjected to sharbon, tick fever and various other diseases as in some Southern states. Feed crops grow prolifically, water is abundant and good and a herd of cattle can graze most of the twelve months in the year.

According to statistics, more and easier money is made in dairying than most any type of farming. Besides it offers a steady cash income each week instead of only once or twice a year. It gives a return to the land in the form of fertilizer and rotation of crops that improves productivity.

The greatest pressure in the history of Congress has been brought by outside influence to bear on Congressman Sam Rayburn of this, the Fourth Congressional District of Texas. It seems that Congressman Rayburn, in cooperation with one of his colleagues, pulled a fast one on the big "money boys" of New York and surrounding countryside by bringing into being the Stock Exchange Bill, which makes it pretty hard for the big "wolves of Wall Street" to fleece the little fellow any more. Everything possible was done by these "money boys" to make Rayburn turn loose and bury the bill, but he stuck to his guns determinedly and doggedly pushed it through the House. It is now before the Senate and will pass there, possibly with a few minor changes. And, so the sad-eyed Congressman from North Texas, who is as plain as the Fannin county farm on which he lives, made "monkeys" out of the city slickers by pulling the old banker's trick of shaking his head and at the same time saying "No!" to all persuasion against his measure that he sponsored at the special request of President Roosevelt.

Walter Wiley, a veteran of thirty years and six months service in carrying Uncle Sam's mail on rural routes out of McKinney was recently retired on an earned government annuity for the remainder of his life. Walter made a good carrier for Uncle Sam's rural mail patrons and is now repaying the fruits of his faithful service in deserved rest, unless he chooses to go into business. Another veteran carrier of the local Post Office here, J. Weeden Franklin, will on July 1, also complete his thirty years of service. He has likewise made a fine record of carrying the mail. He will be retired in the same manner as Mr. Wiley. The rural letter carrier is one of the unsung heroes of American life. In the olden days, carrying the mail on the routes was a big job, and no foolin' It is still a good sized job now, although good highways and roads and automobiles have simplified it a bit, Oftimes the rural mail carrier is the only daily touch farm families have with the outside world. All honor to these faithful servants of rural life.

[illegible] editors and reportorial force are grieved at the sudden death from heart trouble Friday afternoon of W. J. White, formerly editor of the Van Alstyne Leader, sports writer on the Sherman Democrat and later associated with Lee Marshall in the publication of the Grayson County News, a weekly newspaper, at Sherman. He was born on a Cherokee Indian reservation in Georgia, September 14, 1879, and served with the British Merchant Marine as a printer during the World War. He was publicity man for Jeseph Weldon Bailey in his campaign for Congress-at-Large in 1932. The burial took place Sunday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock at Van Alstyne, where a great turnout of friends assembled to pay their respects to an unusually able newspaper editor and writer. These editors extend sympathy to the surviving widow.

Many small communities over the county are seeking entertainment this summer by organizing Little Theaters and presenting local talent plays at intervals. Altoga, Princeton, Farmersville, Blue Ridge and numerous other communities boast active Little Theater groups. Whenever they present a play, the entire community turns out to enjoy it. Little Theaters are a great boon for the people. These editors would enjoy seeing another Little Theater organized in McKinney. There's ample talent here and a play or two each month would provide some excellent entertainment for many.

A central Collin County Joe Moore-For-Lieutenant-Governor club has been launched at McKinney with Mayor Joe E. Largent as president and Roland Boyd, secretary. Joe M. Moore has represented this district for several years as State Senator and is familiar with the important duties of the Lieutenant-Governorship, which is second in importance only to that of governor. Collin county is proud of its state senator and his influence on beneficial legislation at the state capitol city during the past few years.

According to Editor Marvin Smith of the Farmersville Times, R. R. (Bob) Parker of Princeton is being urged by his friends to make the race for Local Representative of Collin County in the Legislature, at Austin. We have known and liked Bob for many years. He has a large number of friends over the county, who appreciate his "horse sense," level headedness and general good nature. Mr. Parker served with distinction in the Spanish-American war, having been several times decorated for his fine service in the land battle of Manila. He is an active farmer and worthy Collin citizen. No doubt he would receive a good vote if he decided to throw his hat in the ring.

We were informed recently by Miss Elizabeth Kilbourn, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Will J. Rhea, while on a visit here, that her school, the Overton High school has a unique distinction in that it has an oil well on the campus. The oil well, drilled on the school land, yielded enough money during its first years to pay entirely for a brand new, modern, up-to-date high school building with every facility. Overton is in the heart of the East Texas oil fields.

Melissa Baptists had a big day Sunday, June 3, when they gathered for a homecoming and dedication program. This Collin church is a branch of an old Baptist church organized in 1845 in the home of the late John Coffman. In 1882 part of the members organized what is now the Melisso church. At present there are three living charter members—Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Parris and Mrs. J. S. Hill, the latter of McKinney.

Lovers of wild flowers may enjoy a veritable picnic with a visit now in any direction from McKinney. Big fields of native blossoming plants of all hues and belnds lend their beauty and fragrance to the country-side. Many of these fields appear as one huge bouquet. If you're a real wild flower lover, you'll pause at these scenic spots to let your eyes feast on the natural beauty and charm of our wonderful county.

Col. C. C. Walsh, chairman of the Federal Reserve Bank Board of Dallas, is an outstanding layman who is active in all church work. This leading banker and financier of the state will occupy the pulpit at 11:00 o'clock Sunday morning, June 10, of the First Methodist church, this city, to deliver the Layman's day address. McKinney should and will give this distinguished Texan a large and attentive hearing on that occasion.

Dairy farmers of this county now have as good or better local market for their whole milk in McKinney than they can find anywhere. The McKinney Milk Products Co., owned and managed by Cabell's Inc., is anxious for all the milk they can buy at their McKinney plant of which Alton (Buzz) Moseley is local manager. Get more good Jersey cows on your farm to help make you a living.

"Student Will Be Disciplined For Kicking Professor," headline. Presumably for directing a blow at the seat of knowledge.

J. D. Lyons

Northeast Collin Farmer Announces For State Legislature

J. D. Lyons, Route 2, Anna, a practical and successful dirt farmer of much more than average intelligence, announces for the office of Local Representative from this county subject to the Democratic Primary of July 28. Mr. Lyons is a native Texan educated in the public schools, who had one year study in the university. He owns his own home and farm, is married with one child. He is in the prime of life and full of vigor of good health and strength. He has always taken an active interest in the affairs of the country by reading and studying—especially concerning farm problems. He has received much encouragement to offer for the office and has finally decided to enter the race. He submits his views in a very lucid and forceful way in the following signed announcement.

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For the Legislature.

To the Voters of Collin County:

Feeling that an opportunity has come for me to render a service of value to the citizenship of Collin county, and knowing the sincerity of the advice of the many friends who have asked me to make this announcement, I herewith submit my solicitation for your vote and influence in my campaign for Local Representative of Collin county.

This year just past has been a trying one; changes have been made and further changes proposed which affect vitally the environment of nearly every active American citizen. Now, as never before, the people of the United States will realize that the fate of the nation depends much upon their proper use of the ballot as a means of mapping out the road which will, we hope, lead us back to normalcy. This year the people of our own county will weigh the qualifications of one candidate against those of another with a serious consideration that will tolerate no haphazard choice. All other considerations will be cast aside in favor of those which mark the office seeker as a man of integrity, devotion to principle, and of rugged consecration to the protection of our homes and firesides.

Since I know also that the life blood of our county is carried in the hearts of those farmers who till her soil and of those who are engaged in other occupations depend upon the well-being of the farmer and laborer, it appears to me that our interests can be best represented in this important office by the whole-hearted, honest service of a dirt farmer whose qualification for the position is unquestioned and whose love and respect for honest dealing is proof against the corrupt practices of scheming politicians and lobbyists, from whose depredations we have suffered so sorely in the past.

I am in favor of the continuation of the present Agricultural Adjustment program so long as, and if the interest of the farmer and farm laborer is held paramount to all other objectives. We all know that a new day in farming is at hand and we must not permit Collin county, known the state over as an agricultural center, to fall asleep and be left behind on the very doorstep of opportunity. The protection of farm and farm labor interests is the keynote of my campaign and will be my watchword in the office. Furthermore, it is my belief that those in offices of public trust and confidence should be fully aware that the depression is not over, and that if we want a return of permanent prosperity the utmost caution is necessary to prevent the recurrence of those factors which lead to abnormaley. We must exercise the greatest of care in picking the precious jewels of good times out of the wreck and ruin left by those who speculated with the best interests of the American people.

I shall endeavor to secure the passage of legislation which will place higher taxes on articles on which certain corporations have virtual monopolies and lower taxes on the property of the average tax payer.

I favor better schools and better paid teachers, this end to be accomplished not through a wholesale raising of taxes over the state, but through a more diligent use and distribution of state educational funds that will give a greater percentage of our young people a training for life and citizenship in a free land which we hope to leave them as a heritage.

I believe that our legislature should take up some course of action to provide a nominal support for aged and indigent persons who have lived a useful life but find themselves unfortunately without the means of a livilhood at the very sunset of their lives.

I may sum up my message to you in three words; namely, Reconstruction, Reorganization, Readjustment—with all of these pointing toward a New Deal for Collin county and the good people thereof. I ask your vote and confidence, and in return pledge my untiring and conscientious efforts toward the accomplishment of the wishes of the majority.

Respectfully yours.
J. D. LYONS,
R. 2, Anna, Texas.

Lee Howard, a substantial farmer and land owner, residing west of Plano, had business in the county seat Monday. We had the pleasure of shaking his friendly hand.

Mrs. Weldon Allen is improving after being confined to her bed for the past three weeks.

25 YEARS AGO IN M'KINNEY

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(June 4 1909.)

Fred and Edgar Bush have returned to their homes at Allen from attending Texas Christian university during the past term at Waco.

Dr. J. C. N. Smith, veteran McKinney dentist recently completed a neat four-room cottage on North Bradley street. Monroe H. Pearce was contractor.

T. M. Wilson, T. O. Murray and T. C. Andrews, committee, turn in resolutions of respect for Empire Lodge, No. 68, I. O. O. F., on the death of their lodge brother, John C. Boone.

Cheaves Bros. Dry Goods store has a double page ad in today's paper with astounding bargains. Read it and visit their store for your part of this rare offering in clothing, dry goods and shoes.

McKinney cotton, market today ranges from 7 to 10 cents per pound, according to the quality of the lint. Corn 75 to 85 cents per bushel; wheat $1.00 to $1.60 per bushel. Flour, $3.60 to $4.00 per hundred. Eggs, 12½ cents per dozen. Chickens, fryers, 12½ cents per pound; butter, 15 cents per pound.

A representative of this paper had an enjoyable drive today with Dr. D F. Houston behind his three-year-old mare, "Belle Rockefeller," grandsire "Reno Clipper" 2:17½, dam, "Lady Pendleton," 2:14; sire "Rockefeller," champion saddle horse of Texas. "Belle Rockefeller" was awarded second premium for best saddler under two years old at the State Fair, in Dallas, last year.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Martin and son, Forest, of Melissa, were visiting in the county seat Saturday. While in the city Mrs. Martin gave our office a most pleasant visit, to renew the Daily Courier-Gazette subscription of her aged mother, Mrs. S. D. Hatler. Mrs. Martin and family reside with her mother, three miles east of Melissa. Mrs. Hatler is 89 years old, but is in good health for one of her advanced years. About a month ago she happened to a mishap, when she made a mistake and put turpentine in her eye instead of eye water, since which time her vision has not been so good, but is clearing up some now.

Marion Johnson of Ponca City, Oklahoma, and Page Johnson, who had just finished his sophomore year as a student at Texas A. & M. college arrived in McKinney Saturday and spent the night with their parents, Thos. Johnson, prominent McKinney banker, and wife. These two fine young sons then left Sunday on an extended pleasure trip and vacation for points to the westward. They will go as far as the most interesting tourist centers and larger cities of California. Marion Johnson holds a responsible position with a big oil company at Ponca City where he has been located for several years. These brothers are anticipating a most enjoyable and interesting vacation trip.

R. E. McKinney lately moved his wife and children from Sherman to McKinney where they have become permanent residents. We gladly welcome them. Mr. McKinney has been with the Municipal Gas company for several years. He was transferred to McKinney and made plant foreman here of the Municipal Gas company.

Stonewall Smith and Miss Vivian Woodard were married Sunday morning, June 3, at the Church of Christ in Farmersville with the pastor, Rev. P. E. Oliphant, officiating. Mr. Smith is Texas representative of the Federated Metals Corporation, while the bride has been for a number of years a member of the Farmersville dry goods firm of Woodard company. The couple left for a wedding trip to Kansas City and Chicago.

Miss Addie Brown Benton, attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Benton, has been spending a few days with her parents in this city. Miss Benton will return to Lubbock Wednesday to attend summer school at the Texas Technological college where she was a student the past year.

Mrs. J. G. Gross of Dalla[illegible] visiting her son-in-law daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. Taylor in McKinney for [illegible] days. Her son-in-law, Mr. T[illegible] is manager, at McKinney, of Municipal Gas company. Gross makes her home most the time with her son-in-law daughter, Mr. and Mrs. V[illegible] Powell, in Dallas; the latter ple are also former McKi[illegible] residents. Mrs. Gross still o[illegible] her big farm located about [illegible] miles northwest of McKinne[illegible]

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SEVENTH PRIZE: *A modern automatic gas water heater.*

EIGHTH PRIZE: *A modern automatic gas water heater.*

NINTH PRIZE: *A modern automatic gas water heater.*

TENTH PRIZE: *A 10-radiant room heater.*

ALSO *40 small room heaters as additional prizes for letters that receive honorable mention.*

For complete details of the Contest and pictures of the prizes, ask for the Contest Broadside at the Gas Company Office, or write to Gas Contest Judges, 301 South Harwood Street, Dallas, Texas.

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LONE STAR Municipal Gas Company GAS SYSTEM

SIXTY CANDIDATES HAVE FILED FOR OFFICE IN COUNTY; TIME LIMIT UP FOR STATE, DISTRICT ASPIRANTS

According to County Democratic Chairman Ed Blakeman, a fairly large number of candidates have filed up to the present for political offices in Collin county. All state and district office aspirants have filed, the closing date for filing being Monday, midnight, June 4. County office seekers, however, have until Saturday, June 16, to file. Interest in politics in the county is still rather lax, although interest is picking up somewhat with the appearance here in the past few weeks of several aspirants for high state honors and the approach of the first primary on July 28.

Candidates who have filed for office in this county include:

Congress: Sam Rayburn, Joss Morris.

Chief Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals: Robert B. Allen, Ben L. Jones.

Flotorial Representative, Collin and Grayson counties: Bevis Davis, Grover Burton, James S. Kone, C. H. (Charlie) Akin.

State Senator, Tenth Senatorial District, Collin, Hunt, Rains and Rockwall counties: Wallace Hugnston, Claude Isbell, J. W. (Joe) McCullough, Will A. Harris, T. M. Staples

Local Representative: Byron England, T. O. Murray, J. D. Lyons.

District Clerk: L. A. Sears, Tom L. Bailey, Floyd W. Taylor.

County Judge: J. F. Harrington.

County Clerk: Mrs. Pearl Sm

County Attorney: H. H. Neilson.

County Superintendent of Schools: L. Dow Hendricks, Roy B. James, J. W. (Will) Moseley.

Tax Assessor-Collector: N. D. Ready, F. T. N. (Nick) Hood.

County Treasurer: Miss Lela Copeland.

Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: Don O. Davis, Ferdinand Sherley.

Commissioner, Precinct No. 2: J. W. Spain, Paul R. Harris, Levi Bass, J. K. (Jack) Fryer.

Commissioner, Precinct No. 3: J. M. (Jim) Hale, J. D. (Dock) Peel Lee Lamm, G. A. (Arthur) Press, C. C. Whitt.

Commissioner, Precinct No. 4: G. Frank Kerby, R. C. (Bob) Fortner.

Public Weigher, Precinct No. 2: Ed Carmack, Bert Standford.

Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1: Erwin C. Craus.

Constable, Precinct No. 1: Hester Lewis, John A. Record, Albert McCauley.

Constable Precinct No. 3: W. P. Taomas.

Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 2: J. Stinebaugh.

Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 4: J. F. Wester.

Constable, Precinct No. 2: J. A. (Shorty) Wisdom, Paul Akin, Troy L. Vicars, Ray Hartman, E. T. Glass.

Constable, Precinct No. 5: G. M. Parr.

Constable, Precinct No. 4: S. L. Betty.

Constable, Precinct No. 6: B. P. Marshall.

Public Weigher, Precinct No. 5: Floyd Wood.

Public Weigher, Precinct No. 7: Gordon M. Pouncey.

Constable, Precinct No. 3: C. C. Atkin.

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Political Calendar.

The 1934 political calendar is provided these papers by Mr. Blakeman, County Democratic Executive Chairman. He stresses the fact that Saturday, June 16, is the last day for candidates to file for county office.

Important dates on the 1934 political calendar are:

June 11, State executive committee prepares ballot.

June 16, Last day for filing for county offices.

June 25, County committee prepares official ballot.

June 28-July 3, First expense statement of candidates.

July 16-July 20, Second expense statement of candidates.

July 8, Absentee voting begins, personal or by mail.

July 25, Absentee voting in person ends.

July 26, Absentee voting by mail ends; ballots mailed by county clerk to presiding judge of election precinct.

July 28, First primary.

July 28, Precinct convention.

July 31, Presiding election officials certify returns to county executive committee.

August 2, County committee canvasses returns and certifies to state.

August 4, County convention.

August 5, Absentee voting begins.

August 7, Third expense statement of candidates.

August 13, State committee prepares second primary ballot.

August 22, Absentee voting in person ends.

August 23, Absentee voting by mail ends, ballots mailed to presiding judges of election precincts.

August 25, Second primary.

August 25, Precinct conventions.

August 28, Precinct committees canvass returns.

September 4, Final expense statements.

September 10 State committee certifies results.

September 11, State conventions.

September 24, Final date for independent and non-partisan candidates to file for general election ballot.

October 7, Official ballot prepared by Secretary of State.

October 13, Absentee voting begins.

November 3, Absentee voting in person ends.

November 4, Absentee voting by mail ends.

November 6, General election.

November 21, State election board canvasses returns.

January 8, Legislature meets.

January 15, Governor and Lieutenant-Governor inaugurated.

Robert D. Erwin is just in receipt of a solid gold ring with four small diamond sets sent him by the Southland Life Insurance company as a souvenir of his twenty-five consecutive years as its representative at McKinney and in this section of the state. Mr. Erwin's health is such that he could not attend, much to his regret, and to the disappointment of the company officials and other agents all over the state when they gathered in the headquarters building at Dallas recently to celebrate the twenty-fifth year of the company's organization.

John H. eFrguson, residing on North Church street, pioneer retired business man, is reported critically ill at his home in this city. Mr. Ferguson has been confined to his home for quite a while.

Miss Dorothy Hardin, who underwent an appendicitis operation Friday in the City hospital, is much improved Monday.

Mrs. Wallace Ware of Rossville, Georgia, is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Wheeler, in McKinney, for a few days.

C. M. LARGENT AND WIFE OF MERKEL VISIT HERE

PROMINENT HEREFORD CATTLE BREEDER; COLLIN FAMILIES

Chas. M. Largent and wife have returned to their home at Merkel, Texas, after a visit to his mother, Mrs. Laura Huffman Largent, who makes her home with another son, Ed Largent, and wife, 612 West Hunt street, this city. Mrs. Largent was born November 1, 1849, in the Old Rowlett Creek community, twelve miles southwest of McKinney. She is therefore approaching her eighty-fifth birthday and is quite well preserved in mind and body for one of her advanced years. She is one of the very oldest native Collin born persons of our county. Her maiden name was Miss Laura Huffman. She was a daughter of Dr. John Huffman, a pioneer living in the old Rowlett Creek community and a member of one of the county's very oldest and earliest families of settlers.

She was married to the late Isaac Largent, who died March 13, 1889, at Melissa, where he was buried and where he was engaged in the general merchandise business. Isaac Largent was a brother of the late W. B. and J. E. Largent, prominent business men of McKinney.

Chas. M. Largent was born and reared near Melissa. He merchandised there and, later at McKinney, before moving to his present home at Merkel, in Taylor county, some years ago where he has attained national prominence in Hereford cattle breeding. He and his sons have for years been winning major honors on their show herds at all the leading fairs and livestock expositions in the state and over the United States.

Besides his mother, Mr. Largent has the following brothers and sisters whom he visits in our city: Dr. Joe W. Largent, Ed Largent and Roy Largent; Mrs. J. E. Mallow, and Miss Ruth Largent.

BUSH SCHOOL CLOSES ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL TERM

The Bush school, twelve miles southwest of town and successfully taught the past year by Miss Verna McClure of McKinney and Prof. J. C. Fagg of Blue Ridge, who have been re-elected for the ensuing year, came to a successful close Friday, May 18, with a big dinner prepared by the ladies of the community.

On the preceding Thursday night an interesting program was presented. A nursery play, "Dr. Foster's Patients," was given by the pupils of Miss McClure's primary room, and the larger pupils also presented a play, "The District School of Punkin Hill," after which a three-act play, "The Man in the Green Shirt," was presented by the young people of the community.

The following pepole played their respective parts admirably:

George T. Fuller, financially embarrassed, Odis Knight.

Mrs. George Fuller, with millionaire ideas, Mrs. Joe Turner.

Millie Fuller, their daughter, Miss Annis Day.

Ivan Ross ,from Hickville, Arkansas, Roger Day.

Egbert Cain, a clever crook, Gough Rasor.

Delphine Larule his secretary, Mrs. Gough Rasor.

Lena Mae Crow, maid of the Fuller's, Mrs. Jack Poiser.

Willie Roach, hired man of the Fuller's, J. C. Fagg.

Mrs. Jefferson T. Jaynes, a society leader, Mrs. Taylor Jordan.

Emmy Rockbert, a hardboiled policeman, Mrs. Gyp McMahan.

Cooling System Installed at Wood's Cafe

Kail Wood, proprietor of Wood's cafe, North Tennessee street, this city, is calling attention through the columns of the Daily Courier-Gazette to the modern, new, up-to-date cooling system, which he has installed in his place of business. Mr. Wood is inviting local citizens to give their families a treat and eat in his cafe and try out this new cooling system, which he says makes his dining room "twenty degrees cooler than at home."

ATTENDS MEETING OF DALLAS PRESBYTERY

Dr. Robert L. Cowan, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, was in Dallas Monday to attend a called meeting of the Dallas Presbytery, held at the First Presbyterian church in Dallas. He informs us that they received into the Presbytery, Rev. Frank M. Taylor, a young minister, who has accepted a call to the Quasan church and who preached his opening sermon there last Sunday. He is to be installed Sunday, July 1. Rev Taylor is well known in McKinney, having often visited his friend, James Bunch, here, while they were classmates together at Austin college, Sherman.

Restrictions Corn, Hog Contracts Are Modified

County Farm Agent Jack P. McCullough is just in receipt of a telegram from O. B. Martin, College Station, State Director, to the effect that restrictions on use of contracted acres on wheat, corn and hog contracts have been modified so as to permit the planting and harvesting of all forage crops except corn and grain sorghums

This modification also permits pasturing the contracted acres and harvesting of forage from them with the exception of corn and grain sorghums.

This modification permits sowing contracted acres in sudan, alfalfa, sweet clover or any other feed crops but the two excepted ones.

Bailey Whisenant, secretary of the Corn and Hog Production for Collin county, who is giving practically his full time to the job in County Farm Agent McCullough's office, is authority for the statement that there are 270 wheat contracts and 563 corn and hog contracts with Collin county farmers.

Misses Nola Bess Kluttz and Vera Sneed have gone to Denton for summer courses in the Texas Woman's college (C. I. A.), at that place. Miss Nola Bess is working on her A. B. degree. She is a daughter of Prof. and Mrs. F. A. Kluttz of McKinney and has been engaged as one of the teachers at the Chambersville Consolidated school, next year. Miss Vera Sneed, who is her cousin, is the daughter of Tom J. Sneed and wife of Lucas. Miss Vera has been Home Economics teacher for the past three or four years in the Ennis High school. She is working on her Master's degree.

J. W. Bryan, our correspondent at Clifft, in Southeast Collin, was in McKinney Saturday, honoring our office with a welcome call. Mr. Bryan states that very little interest is being manifested in politics in his section of the county, in any county or state race.

Miss Dorothy Blanton, of Gainesville, is a guest in the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Sims Littlejohn, in the Woodlawn community.

BURIAL THURSDAY AT FOREST GROVE FOR J. W. COOK

DECEASED WAS RESPECTED SOUTHEAST COLLIN CITIZEN

Largely attended funeral services for the late J. W. Cook were held at Forest Grove this (Thursday) afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Greenville Walker, Rev. A. H. Snider and Rev. J. Ben Snider. Interment was made in the Forest Grove cemetery under the direction of the Isaac Crouch Funeral home. Many beautiful floral offerings covered the bier.

Active pallbearers were grandsons of the deceased as follows: Clarence Burch, Malcolm Burch, Leo Graham, Buddie Graham, Norman Pharr and Willard Pharr.

Honorary pallbearers: Bent Whiserant, Johnathan Spurgin, J. W. Clayton, Hovery Betterton, John Brown, Jim Biggs, Steve Hillis, S. Anderson, George Hardesty, J. H. Riffe, T. J. Sneed, W. D. Petway, Dr. R. E. Morrow, R. J. Russell, Jerome Sneed, Jim McKinney, Giles McKinney, J. E. Dotson, John Doyle, R. H. Coffey, W. D. Morrow, G. Frank Kerby, Ed Knight, H. C. Pharr.

J. W. Cook was born in Maryville, Mo., Oct. 19, 1849 to J. H. and Julia Ann (Lenham) Cook. He came with his parents to Texas when he was three years old, the family settling in the Lucas community, where he had since resided. He was 84 years, 6 months and 20 days old at the time of his death.

The deceased had been in ill health for about a year, passing away Wednesday morning, May 30, at 11:45 o'clock. He was a highly respected citizen, who numbered his friends by his acquaintances. He was an Odd Fellow and a member of the Christian church, being faithful in attendance when health permitted.

He was preceded in death by his wife, who died in 1928; by one child and two sisters. The following children survive: Earl Cook, Mrs. Cary Pharr, Mrs. Will Anderson, Mrs. Bud Spurgin, Mrs. Jim Graham, all of Lucas and Mrs. Tom Burch of Wylie. A brother, S. F. (Bet) Cook and a sister, Mrs. E. T. Spurgin, both of McKinney; fifteen grandchildren, eleven great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild also survive.

Edward (Nig) Davis of Wylie is starring with the Dixie Wax baseball team of a commercial league in Dallas. In a recent game he hit two home runs.

Miss Mary Mozelle Sanford, who graduated this summer from the High School at the Odd Fellows home in Corsicana, has arrived to make her home with her aunt, Mrs. Lucile Herndon, in this city. Miss Sanford is the attractive daughter of Mrs. Betty Sanford of this city.

GIVES BEAUTIFUL MEMORIAL TABLE TO HOME CHURCH

Charley Turrentine, an artist as a woodworkman, has just finished a handmade communion table, 24x48 inches in dimensions for Horace H. Neilson, who will present it to the Methodist church, at Ladonia, of which his deceased parents were lifetime members and where they took their large family of children to worship. The table is solid oak, it is of impressive design and finish.

Mr. Neilson and his several brothers and sisters are also providing some beautiful art window memorials to their old home church in honor of their deceased parents and their deceased brother and sister.

Horace H. Neilson, who is a popular McKinney attorney, is chairman of the Official Board of the First Church of McKinney where he began the practice of law some years ago.

H. W. ARDINGER PIONEER M'KINNEY MERCHANT DIES

OWNED BIG DRY GOODS STORE HERE IN 80's— BURIAL IN DALLAS

H. W. Ardinger 90, pioneer McKinney dry goods merchant, died Sunday, June 3, at the home of his son-in-law, Nathan Adams, prominent Dallas banker.

Funeral services were held at the Adams residence, 4604 Lakeside Drive, Dallas, at 4:00 o'clock Monday afternoon with Bishop Harry T. Moore of the Episcopal church officiating. Burial followed in Greenwood cemetery, Dallas.

The deceased owned and operated a popular big dry goods and clothing store in McKinney for several years, but closed out same and left here for Dallas a little more than forty years ago.

Eld R. C. Horn, ninety-year-old retired Christian minister of McKinney clerked some in the Ardinger store on busy Saturdays and also some duirng the fall trade seasons. Eld. Horn was then living on his farm in the Vineland community.

Mr. Ardinger's son, Horace, and his daughter, who afterwards married Nathan Adams, both attended school in McKinney. The son died a number of years ago while Mrs. Adams passed away only a few months ago.

The deceased is survived by three grandchildren, Horace T. Ardinger of Amarillo, Mrs. Allan Kendricks of New York and Mrs. Frank M. Watson of Dallas and also by three great-grandchildren.

Mr. Ardinger was a cultured, affable, very public spirited citizen and merchant who is remembered by a few older people in McKinney and throughout the county with a great deal of pleasure.

Only a few months ago, extracts from a personal letter that he wrote to his long time friend, Eld. Horn, were published in this paper. In those statements he referred very tenderly to his pleasant memories of his business career in McKinney and his appreciation of the liberal manner in which the good people of this county patronized his store.

PRINCETON NOW AN AFFILIATED HIGH SCHOOL

RECENTLY GRANTED CREDITS MAKING TOTAL OF SIXTEEN UNITS

Prof. Elburn L. Gantt of Princeton was in the city Saturday. He has been superintendent of Princeton Independent School for the past two years and was recently re-elected for a third year. The other teachers elected with him were the following: G. E. Sonntag, principal; L. R. Huddleston, Miss Mary Lou Stewart and the grade teachers: Mrs. Edna Powers, J. B. Miller, Miss Margaret West, Miss Ethel Mantooth, Miss Opal Horton and Miss Uris Morgan. All these taught last year except one, who was elected to take the place of Miss Velma Giles who was recently married to Corbin Nixon, a grocery merchant at Gunter.

The School Board consists of the following well known Princeton citizens: J. W. Godwin, president; W. T. Hooten, secretary; George Dalton, R. E. Clements, Mr. McMahan and John K. Wilson.

In answer to a reporter's inquiry as to how school matters are getting along at Princeton, Superintendent Gantt stated that Princeton is now a fully affiliated school of eleven grades, having only recently received three additional credits, bringing their total up to sixteen units of affiliation.

Prof. Gantt was born and reared at Princeton. It is to his credit that his home people honor him with the superintendency of their excellent school. He has his college degree and continues his studies to improve himself in the teaching profession and we predict for him a constantly broadening sphere of usefulness in the following.

FUNERAL HELD SATURDAY FORMRS. MARTHA ROPER

Mrs. Martha Roper, who was born near Anna November 19, 1859, died at her home, 4 miles east of Anna, Friday afternoon, June 1, at 3:40 o'clock. She was 74 years, 6 months and 12 days old at the time of her passing and had resided in Collin county all her life, being, before her marriage, Miss Martha Hendrix. Her husband, the late J. P. Roper, passed away in August, 1933.

The deceased had been in failing health for about a year, but was not seriously ill until about a week before her death. She was a member of the Baptist church at Stony Point.

Funeral services were held last (Saturday) afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Stony Point church, interment following in the cemetery there. Rev. John Hilger of Greenville and County Supt. L. Dow Hendricks, conducted the impressive services while the Isaac Crouch Funeral home was in charge of burial arrangements.

Active pallbearers were: Benton Mitchell, J. M. Roper, Jim Roper, Burel W. Roper, John E. Roper and George Roper.

A number of children survive as follows: Bure E. Roper, Mrs. Plume Herod, Morgan Roper, Mrs. Annice Arnold, Mrs. Mattie Luscomb, all of Anna; Fountain Roper, at home; Mrs. Pierce Mullendore, Van Alstyne and Lewis Roper, Kenefic, Okla.

Forty-eight grandchildren survive as well as the following brothers and sisters: J. Wash Hendrix; Mrs. Little Cumbun, Mrs. Sally Waggoner, Mrs. Mary Woods, Mrs. Pearl Miller, Mrs. Nancy West, Robert M. Hendrix and Mrs. Rennie Rogers.

Her husband and six children preceded her in death.

Mrs. Geo. W. Lepeard is a patient in the City hospital. She has been quite ill for several days, but is reported improving Tuesday.

Three Frisco young ladies and one young man received degrees from the North Texas State Teachers college, at Denton. They were Misses Berrice Malone and Irma Wade, Mrs. Lola Dunsfan and Glen Rogers.

Mrs. A. F. Tidwell and friend, Miss Finley, daughter of A. T. Finley, were McKinney visitors Saturday from Celina. Mrs. Tidwell was formerly Mrs. Alice Taylor, who served several terms as District Clerk of Collin county. She made an efficient and popular county official during her incumbency.

Miss Wilna Milburne of Durant, Okla., has arrived for a few days' visit with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Knott. Miss Milburne is an accomplished musician, having recently received her degree from the State Teacher's college at Durant, majoring in music. She is also a member of the Acapella choir, which has been presenting programs in many points in Oklahoma and also on several occasions, broadcast from Station WFAA, Dallas.

The Social Workers of the First Methodist church, under the presidency of Mrs. Adam Bond, gave their annual picnic at 7:00 o'clock Monday evening in beautiful Finch park. A sumptuous picnic dinner was spread on the long table for the members, their families and a few invited friends.

Judge George P. Brown of McKinney was one of the speakers at the recent Frankfort decoration in Southwest Collin. Judge Brown, who was one of the first teachers of the Frankfort school, made an excellent address. Among other speakers on the program were Will Shepard of Plano, former resident of that community, and Gabe Allen of Dallas.

Mrs. Elizabeth Simmons, 88, passed away in the Clearlake community Tuesday, May 29. Funeral services were held at the Clearlake Baptist church Wednesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Ab Snider of McKinney and Rev. Roy Greer, Baptist minister. She was a native of Tennessee, coming to Texas sixty years ago. Surviving are the following children: Mrs. Laura Putman, Kingston, Oklahoma; Mrs. Fannie Dale, Madill, Oklahoma; Mrs. Elnora Davidson, McKinney; Mrs. E. A. Nelson, Farmersville; Tom and Charlie Simmons, Clearlake.

Mrs. Fannie Harrington and her sister, Mrs. Matthews, of Plano, and their niece, Miss Mattie Palmer, were all guests of Rev. and Mrs. F. Lamar McGown at the South Wilcox Street Methodist church parsonage. Rev. Mr. McGown was pastor of Mrs. Harrington at the Fannie Harrington Chapel for two years. Mrs. Harrington is superintendent of the Fannie Harrington Chapel Sunday school. She invited Rev. Mr. McGown and wife for the homecoming at her church Sunday, June 3. All former pastors were invited and urged to be present. Mrs. Fannie Harrington is the mother of County Judge J. Frank Harrington of this city.

PERSONALS

Miss Minnie Aycock arrived at her home here in McKinney, Sunday, from Bremond, Texas, where she has been teaching in high school for the past seven years. She will visit relatives here and at other points in the county some during her summer vacation. She is a daughter of the late A. J. Aycock and a niece of John T. Grisham of Verona.

Rufus A. Furr, owner of the North End Grocery and produce house, and wife went to Wortham, Sunday, and brought back with them, their daughter, Miss Madie Lee Furr who had just finished last Friday teaching in the Wortham schools which closed on that date. Mr. Furr states that farming conditions in that section of the state do not compare favorably by any means with crop conditions up here in North Texas. Cotton, corn and other crops are badly retarded by the lack of moisture. A good rain is greatly needed by everything.

Golden wedding anniversary invitations have been received by McKinney relatives and friends to the fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John Scaffner, who live on Munger Avenue, Dallas. The happy event will take place, June 7. Friends of this popular old couple are giving them a party at Swiss Hall on Preston and Young streets. Mr. and Mrs. Schaffner are the parents of Mrs. Roy Rambo of McKinney.

W. T. Holcomb, well-known in this county, died at Fate, Rockwall county, recently after a continued illness of several weeks. Funeral services were held at Royse City conducted by Rev. Woodard. He was a former resident of Farmersville where he has two sons, Tom and Sid Holcomb still residing. He was a Confederate soldier and Texas pioneer, coming here from Georgia. At the time of his death he was ninety-two years old. Other surviving children are: Mrs. W. R. Adams, Frost, Texas; J. E. Holcomb, Rome, Texas; W. A. Holcomb, Frost, Texas; Arch Holcomb, Dallas; and Mrs. G. F. Barringer of Royse City.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Cole are the happy young parents of an eight-pound baby son, their first born. The youngster made his appearance at the City hospital Saturday morning, June 2. Both mother and babe are getting along nicely. The young mother was formerly Miss Edith Gist, a native of McKinney, who was reared by her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Malone, 209 East Lamar street with whom they live. These editors congratulate the young parents and also Mr. and Mrs. Malone on the advent of this new arrival within their family circle. The child has been named William Thomas, Jr.

Prof. John Hugh Hill and wife spent the week-end in McKinney, his old home, guests of his mother, Mrs. J. H. Hill and his sister, Miss Mae Hill, teacher in the McKinney Public schools. Prof. Hill, who has been associate professor of history at Texas A. & M. college this year, and wife left Monday for Berkeley, Calif., where they will attend the University of California summer school. This fall, they will return to Marshall, where he is head of the history department at the College of Marshall, and where Mrs. Hill is head of the English department in the Marshall High school.

Rev. Clyde A. Long, presiding elder of the Sweetwater District, recently suffered painful injuries in an automobile accident. He was returning to Sweetwater from Sylvester Sunday night, May 13, after preaching the baccalaureate sermon for the high school at the latter place. His car turned over and was demolished. He suffered a severe cut on the head and four broken ribs and otherwise was badly bruised. However, he is now improving. His painful accident is regretted by many friends in McKinney and this county where Rev. Mr. Long served three years as pastor of the First Methodist church, beginning in 1913 and then served four years as presiding elder from 1922-26, during which time he and Mrs. Long occupied the district parsonage here.

Miss Curtis Michael, who has been confined to her home for two weeks, is improving Monday, being able to sit up some.

R. S. Bristow has returned to his home in Comanche, Okla., after spending the week-end in McKinney with his sister, Mrs. J. H. Hill, and his niece, Miss Mae Hill.

Mrs. J. R. Bowman and daughter, Miss Mary Ruth and Miss Eva Ellen Berry, attended the graduation exercises at C. I. A. in Denton Monday morning. Their niece and cousin, Miss Maurine Faulkner, was one of the honor graduates, receiving her B. A. degree. This was one of the largest graduating classes in the history of the school, with thirty-nine honor graduates. Dr. L. H. Hubbard is president of the college, delivering the class address. Miss Faulkner is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Faulkner and a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Cook, all of this city, who also witnessed her graduation.

Annual decoration and memorial day services were held at the Verona cemetery, about thirteen miles northeast of McKinney, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Bob Anderson acted as chairman of the services which were held under the tabernacle in the cemetery there. There speakers were Dr. Minor Bounds, pastor of the First Methodist church, McKinney, and Eld. P. E. Oliphant, pastor of the Church of Christ, at Farmersville. Several interesting specials were rendered during the exercises. Mrs. Bounds accompanied her husband to attend the services. Verone is her native home community where her aged mother and a sister and other relatives are still residing

25 YEARS AGO IN M'KINNEY

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(June 1, 1909.)

Miss Uba Massie is visiting her sister, Mrs. Clyde Yeargin, at Fort Worth.

Judge George P. Brown, county attorney of Collin county, spoke yesterday at the Oak Lawn Methodist church, Dallas.

Clay Hunn is here from near Celina today. Fine fellow and every inch a Democrat. He is a son of Uncle Frank Hunn of this city.

Prominent laymen, numbering among them two county attorneys and one legislator, filled practically all the Methodist pulpits of the Dallas district Sunday (Yesterday). Special collections were taken totaling more than $850 cash for missions.

J. A. Taylor of Westminster is president of the Collin County Singing convention; J. H. Stinson of Princeton, vice-president; Miss Ona Spurgeon of Allen, secretary and treasurer; Elmer Stratton of Lucas, organist; Lee Hunter of Allen, chaplain and Alma Wilson of Princeton, sergeant-at-arms.

Vote on both bond issues carried in the McKinney election yesterday. One was for $10,000 for the erection of a new city hall and fire station and the other also for $10,000 for street improvements. The city hall bond issue received a majority of 101; street improvement bond received a majority of 105.

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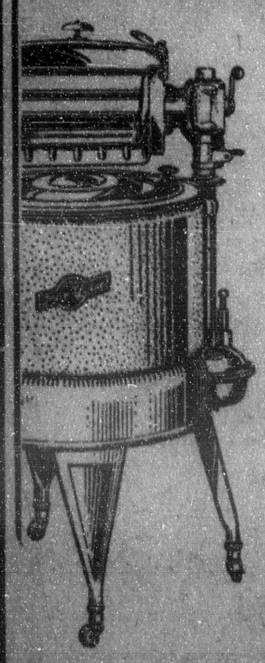

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ALLEN
Mrs. L. Goeman

Classes 11 and 13 of the Baptist Sunday school met Tuesday night, May 8th, in the home of Miss Eldys Mae Leach. A Mother's day program was given by the members of the class. All mothers of the girls present, making a total of 33. Cake and cream were served.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Raby, May 7, a baby girl.

Mrs. A. A. Humparey is visiting relatives in East Texas.

Charles Angle of Port Arthur visited his uncle, Jim Angle, and other relatives here recently.

Mrs. J. L. Angle has returned from a two weeks visit to her daughter, Mrs. Howard Bowman, at Austin.

Mrs. Leo Haney is able to be up again after an operation. She is at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. M. O. Perry.

Joe Beverly of Dallas spent Wednesday night with the sister, Mrs. V. E. Tucker.

Mrs. Virgie Lunsford and daughter, Mildred, of McKinney were in Allen Wednesday.

Miss Annie Butler visited Dallas relatives over the week-end.

Mrs. M. H. Philpott was shopping in McKinney Friday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Richard, May 10, a son.

Mrs. Orville Bowery and son, Richard, of Dallas visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Giddings, this week.

Master Jack Price of McKinney was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Grant Thomas, Sunday.

Miss Vivian Compton was in McKinney Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Trott of Dallas spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Richards.

Mr. and Mrs. Claudie Miller of Dallas were week-end guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Lelia Miller.

John Teel was able to be down town Saturday for the first time in months.

Miss Mary Helen Royals was shopping in Dallas Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Cole of Big Springs were guests of Mrs. Loda Summers Thursday.

Lloyd Curd of Murphy spent the week-end with L. C. Summers, Jr.

Misses Eldys Mae Leach and Mattie Harriett Bush were shopping in McKinney Friday afternoon.

S. W. Wilson and family of Decatur were week-end guests of Mrs. L. Wilson and daughter, Miss Cappe.

Mrs. S. E. Brown presented her expression class in recital at the school auditorium Sautrday evening. A large crowd attended.

The "Pastors Partners" B. Y. P. U. enjoyed a weiner roast in the Day pasture west of town Friday night. They were chaperoned by Mrs. W. F. Dutton, Mrs. E. L. Leach and Rev. J. M. Greer.

The annual meeting of the Allen Cemetery association was well attended Sunday and the following are the new officers: President H. A. Brown, Vice-President, L. C. Richards, Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. S. R. Leach. Many from out of town visited the cemetery for the decoration and all graves received attention.

Mr. and Mrs. J .A. Gilliland had as their guests Sunday, W. F. Gilliland of Kilgore; O. O. Turner and family of McCamey; Jimmie Gilliland of Hot Springs, Ark.; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Avens and daughter of Josephine; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hagy and son, Billie of McKinney; Joe Gilliland and family; Dan Gilliland and family; Paul Gilliland and family; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith and son; Mrs. J. L. House of Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Brooks and children of Lebanon. All brought well filled baskets. Mr. and Mrs. Gilliland were delighted to have all their children home once again.

Misses Frances and Helen Whisenant, Mrs. Lou Presley and Mrs. Alex Thomas of Dallas; Mr. Raymond Smith and family of Bethany and Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Bolin and son were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Goeman Sunday.

SHOWER

A miscellaneous shower was given in the home of Mrs. W. F. Dutton Tuesday afternoon, honoring Mrs. John Crockett of Plano, formerly Miss Nila Wilkins. The guests assembled in the dining room where a rose covered receptacle containing the gifts was placed on the dining table. Miss Doyce Beene made the presentation speech. Miss Sallie Blythe presided at the registration table. Out of town guests were Mrs. M. L. Anderhub of Dallas; Mesdames Hub Harvell, Bob Newman, J. M. Yandell, Fred Yeager, C. C. Crockett, Allen Duncan, Mrs. Barney Beene and John Savage of Plano. Angel cake and cream were served. Members of the Glad Girls Bible class were co-hostesses.

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ATTENDED FUNERAL OF MOTHER

W. N. Waters has returned from Carthage, Mo., where he went to attend the funeral of his mother, who passed away May 9th at the ripe old age of 98 years and 5 months. Burial was at Pierce City, Mo. Mrs. Waters lived in Collin county ,near Bloomdale some twenty years before returning to Missouri. Friends extend sympathy to Mr. Waters in his sorrow.

Master Edward Truman Sturges of Dallas is visiting his cousin, Master Howard Dwain Snider.

Allen is quite a busy place since the traffic has been turned through on account of the work on the new highway.

CHAMBERSVILLE
Mrs. O. S. Scott

Mrs. Robert A. Chambliss and Mrs. Odessa Hatch of Fort Worth were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Thompson over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lindsey and baby, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Rogers Lindsey of Bloomdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Haynes are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a son, Jerry Gene, on Sunday, May 13.

Miss Fanny Farley of Stiff's Chapel and Jack Scribner of Stony Point were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Herron and attended singing Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Herron and children of Rhea Mills were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Herron and baby and attended decoration.

Miss Ruby Berry of Melissa spent several days the past week with her cousin, Miss Bernice Chandler.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Anderson were Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Neal and daughter, Charlsey, of Princeton; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Gracey of Anna.

Miss Mae Beth Thompson visited her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Miller, near Celina Sunday.

Mrs. Lenora Farnsworth who makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Rogers and family, fell recently and sustained a broken arm.

Mrs. W. S. Hitchcock and sons had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Giddings of Sherman; Mr. and Mrs. Levi Dunn and children, Grady and Katheryn Jo of Weston.

C. D. White and daughter, Marjorie, and Bob Greathouse of Dallas were Sunday guests of Miss Ruth White and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Frisby and daughter, Evelyn.

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L. A. S.

The Ladies Aid society met Monday, May 14, at the church with nine members present. The following program was arranged by Mrs. Scott:

Song: "Sweet Hour of Prayer" led by Mrs. W. S. Hitchcock with Mrs. B. C. Thompson at the piano.

Roll call was answered by names of mothers of the Bible.

"A prayer for all mothers," Mrs. Scott.

Talk: "Mother's Day," Mrs. J. S. Frisby.

Reading: "Tired Fingers," Mrs. B. C. Thompson.

"Mother's Portion," Mrs. A. P. Dickerson.

"A White Rose," Mrs. W. S. Hitchcock.

"Mother's Day," Mrs. W. O. Herron.

"Beautiful Hands," Miss Mae Beth Thompson.

"Mother Mine," Mrs. John R. Haynes.

Mrs. B. C. Thompson was successful in making the most words out of "Mother's Day." We meet again May 28, with Mrs. Hitchcock as leader.

Mrs. John B. Haynes was enrolled as a new member. Guests were Mrs. J. C. oGodnight and Miss Mae Beth Thompson.

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BIRTHDAY DINNER

Honoring the birthdays of Misses Ruby Dickenson and Lena Wilson, Mrs. S. R. Dickenson and Miss Kathryn served a dinner to the following guests, Mr. and Mrs. C R. Dickenson, Misses Clara, Lola and Lona Wilson and Evelyn Cox and Jimmie Louis Cox.

Two large angel food cakes held the alotted number of candles.

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Baccalaureate service of the Chambersville High school were held Sunday morning, May 13, 1934, at 11 o'clock in the church.

Program.

Processional: "Love Song," Lilbeslil—C. W. Cadman, Op. 40—Bee Littrell.

Song—"Love Divine" — John Zundel—C. Wesley—Choir.

Invocation: Rev. Roy Patton.

Solo: "Old Sweet Refrain"—Ray Patton, accompanist, Ava Lee Patton.

Address—Rev. Roy Patton.

Benediction—Ray Patton.

Recessional: "Adeste" (J. S. (Cole's)—Bee Littrell.

During a visit of Rev. Roy Patton to the school recently he told the pupils in the primary room, taught by Miss Bee Littrell, that he would give a $1.00 bill for the best picture of "Popeye' the Sailor." Bernice little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Marshall, was voted the best artist and received the prize.

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One of the largest crowds ever to attend decoration, was present Sunday. On interesting program had been arranged by Mrs. M. K. Drury. Songs by choir; Readings by Misses Sue Evelyn Rattan, Anna; and Miss Candis Bowen, McKinney, and little Betty Jo Flannery of Chambersville; Solo, Ray Patton, Miss Ava Lee Patton, accompanist; Address eRv. Roy L. Patton.

C. M. Brown paid tribute to the memory of Mr. J. K. Drury, who for so many years so faithfully cared for the cemetery as manager, and commended the present officers for the splendid care they are giving to its upkeep. The present officers were retained for the ensuing year as follows: Floyd H. Priest, president and treasurer; W. D. Thompson, assitant; Mrs. M. K. Drury, secretary.

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COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

Commencement exercises of Chambersville High school Friday evening, May 18, 8:30 o'clock at church.

Program.

Processional: "Our Yesterday," (Herbert Leslie)—Bee Littrell.

Invocation—Rev. Minor Bounds.

Song: "Guide Me Oh Thou Great Jehovah" (W. Williams T. Hastings)—Choir.

Piano Solo—Selected—Claudia Hunter.

Address—Rev. Minor Bounds.

Presentation of Diplomas, Supt. W. H. Frazier.

Acceptance of Diplomas—Juanita Self.

Benediction, Rev. Minor Bounds.

Members of the class are Amelia Rogers, Juanita Eelf, Madee Redden, Laurada Pittman, Mary Chandler, Melvin Giles, Maurice Marshall and Joe Taylor; Class sponsor, Miss Bee Littrell.

DEATH CALLS YOUNG CLEARLAKE WOMAN THURSDAY

Mrs. Johnnie Watson, aged 21 years, 11 months and 4 days, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Doshier, of the Clearlake community Thursday after a two months' illness. She was born May 5, 1912, in Oklahoma. She was a member of the Christian church.

Funeral services were held at Clearlake this (Friday) afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with the Isaac Crouch Funeral home of this city directing the arrangements.

The deceased is survived by her parents and several brothers and sisters.

Mr and Mrs. C. W. Graves, Miss Mary Beth Holmes, Miss Madeline Graves, Mrs. Ben Oates, Mrs. Ula Saunders, Miss Virginia Saunders and Miss Janet Largent were among those from this city attending the baccalaureate sermon and commencement exercises of T. C. U. in Fort Worth Sunday and Monday. Miss Rebecca Graves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Graves, was one of the graduates receiving her B. A. degree.

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The crop is a fairly good one this year in yield, and within the next three or four weeks perhaps a thousand cars will be shipped out of this Collin county blackland onion growing area to the big market centers of the North and East.

On one 55-acre field alone near Wylie Thursday 350 workers from that immediate vicinity were completing the harvest of 15,000 bushels, pulling, topping and crating them within the space of two or three days.

Persons of both sexes and all ages, wearing the familiar garments of the cotton fields and some of the women wearing overalls and beach pajamas soon harvested the largest crops we have in the onion growing belt of our county.

The yield of 300 bushels an acre was even larger than had been anticipated by Clyde Shugart, chief onion grower, for the Joyce-Alexander and Shugart, owners of 1665-acre farm southeast of Wylie. A squadron of seven large trucks were plying the roads day and night to Garland from which point most of the onions were being shipped.

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Both White And Yellow Grown.

Both white and yellow Bermuda onions are grown in the district. On the Joyce, Alexander & Shugart farm the crop this year is predominately of the crystal white variety. Of the total acreage on the farm 225 acres this year were planted in onions and the acreage may be increased because there remains still some level enough for successful onion culture. The owners of the farm have found a way to keep mortgages off their land even through recent lean years and they say that their neighbors likewise have managed to stave off mortgages.

On the 1,665-acre farm 1,100 acres are in cultivation with cotton, onions, sorghums and corn furnishing the chief crops. One tract of fifty acres of stock beets with sorghum added furnished feed last year for 400 Hereford cows, 400 Rambouillet sheep and the 1,000 or more hogs that roam the bottom lands. The cattle have come into the spring almost spongy fat. The 565 acres of pasture land, most of it converted from Hillside farming land, is becoming excellent pasturage under the golden hoofs of the heavy fleeced sheep.

A new cement sidewalk is being put down at Giles McKinney's business house, southeast corner of the square, occupied by the Sanitary grocery. The walk is some ten feet wide and more than eighty feet long. Isham Younger, well known McKinney cement contractor, has the contract and A. T. Wilmuth is doing the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Faulkner went over to Denton Monday to attend the graduation exercises at C. I. A. Their daughter, Miss Maurine Faulkner, was one of the honor graduates from the college, receiving her B. A. degree. Miss Faulkner's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Cook, also witnessed her graduation.

Mrs. G. W. Lepeard, who is a patient in the McKinney City hospital, is reported as better Wednesday.

GROWING ONIONS INCREASES IN FAVOR IN COLLIN

During the past few years, onion growing in this area around McKinney, as well as Princeton and Farmersville, has been steadily growing.

Onions require a particular condition of land that in the judgment of successful onion growers precludes the possibility of glutting of the market.

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Crystal White and Yellow Bermuda onions thrive in this North Texas area, which it is estimated, will produce a half million bushels of these products, this year. These onions, grown in the dry farming areas, that is where not irrigated, have less moisture content in them and, therefore, have superior storage qualities for keeping in perfect condition for a longer period. In fact, the Collin county dry farming method of production gives a quality to onions that is unexcelled in flavor, and preservation qualities.

These Texas onions ,or many of them, go to the Chicago, Kansas City, St. Louis, New York, and other large centers of our nation.

During our onion harvest every switch and siding at these onion market points are taken up. The railroads have built commodious packing and loading sheds alongside their tracks. McKinney has several of them for the free use of the farmers who come here to sell and ship their onions.

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(June 2, 1913)

Will C. (Dollie) Gerrish has accepted a position as traveling salesman with the Boren-Stewart Wholesale Grocery house.

Mrs. W. A. Rhea is having a new house built on South Tennessee street. W. J. Higgins is contractor.

Ex-Sheriff Gabe Beck is building a nice cottage home in the Wilson addition. W. J. (Jordan) Higgins is contractor.

Benge Quisenberry is able to resume his duties in the H. & T. C. Freight office after a week's illness.

A meeting of the ex-Confederate and Old Settlers Reunion and Picnic association was held at the court house last night. Hon. Wallace Hughston was chairman of the committee appointed to secure a charter and draft by-laws, presented his report which was approved. "The name of this corporation is the ex-Confederate and Old Settlers Reunion and Picnic Association of Collin county," and the purpose for which it is formed is the maintenance of a public park. The term of this charter is for twenty years. Its three directors elected are: Dick Allen, one year; Sam J. Massie, two years; and McCarty Moore, three years. The organization has no capital stock, the estimated value of its property is $975.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bush and little daughter, Joyce, attended the graduation exercises in Fort Worth of T. C. U., their daughter, Miss Janelle Bush, being one of the graduates. She received her B. A degree.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Simpson and Miss Ada Bell Evans of Paris, were guests Sunday afternoon of Miss Etta Mae Biggers in this city. Miss Simpson is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Claude M. Simpson, her father being presiding elder of the Paris district. He was formerly pastor of the First Methodist church this city.

John Holt of Allen, who received an injured finger, is still a patient in the McKinney City hospital. Infection has set up in the injured member.

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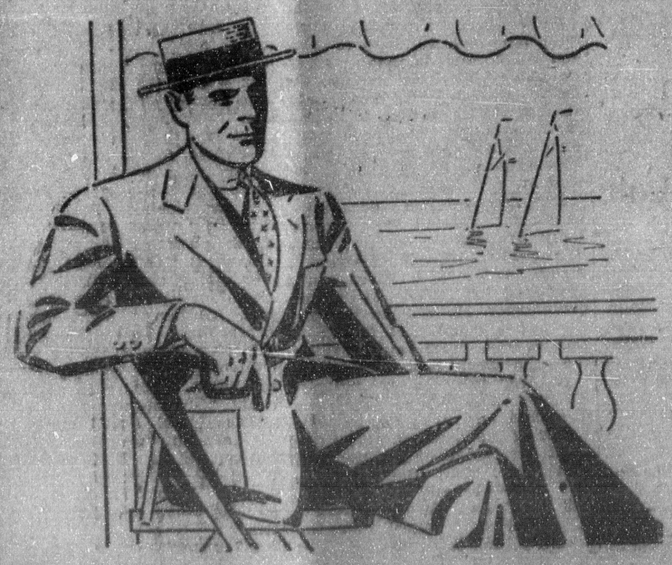

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FORMATION OF INTEREST TO TAXPAYERS

n view of the fact that the slature has from time to time the past few years passed extension laws and laws re- ing tax penalties and inter- and because of the different s and time limits set by said , it has been extremely dif- lt for the general public t erstand at all times the law t prevails," Tax Collector N. Ready, said Friday. "I deem y duty, therefore, as tax col- or to inform the public that special legislation dealing with penalties and interest ex- s on June 30."

ollector Ready says that any nquent tax for the year 1932 all prior years may be paid time in June with only 6 cent penalty and no interest. n July 1 the regular penalty 0 per cent and 6 per cent rest per annum from date of nquency will apply, making rate of penalty and inter- on 1932 taxes 10 per cent alty plus 9 per cent interest, total of 19 per cent as nst 6 per cent flat if paid in e. The total rate on 1931 tax- will be on July 1 25 per . 1930 tax 31 per cent, and on, adding 6 per cent each as the tax dates back. hose owing delinquent taxes please note the saving by ng now. Not only is there a ng involved but every tax now will help to hold the ent, or 1934 tax rate down; if paid in sufficient quanti- will reduce the rate for this

ne 30 is also the last date paying the last half of 1933 s without penalty.

e Collin county tax collector s that all who can will avail nselves of the opportunity to any tax they may now owe, eby saving money for them- es and at the same time to reduce the tax rate on all.

rs. W. H. Long and daughter, Dorothy Long, and Mrs. Hutchins, all went to Col- Station Saturday to attend final review of Texas A. & college cadets. They were d there by Moral Hutchins, reshman and son of Mrs. Hutchins.

ed Bridgefarmer, son of Dr. H. Bridgefarmer of Melissa, nnes quite ill. He hasn't able to work much for t three years and during the three or four months had bedfast most of the time.

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COL. C. C. WALSH SPEAKER HERE SUNDAY, JUNE 10

Sunday, June 10, has been designated as Laymen's day throughout Southern Methodism.

W. Hammond Moore, lay leader of the McKinney District, announces the coming of Col. C. C. Walsh, chairman of the Board of the Federal Reserve bank, at Dallas, as speaker at 11:00 o'clock service at the First Methodist church, this city, of which Dr. Minor Bounds is pastor.

Col. Walsh is one of our state's leading financiers and a most influential lay member of the Methodist church. He is a forceful public speaker, and the general public is invited to hear him on this occasion—11:00 a. m., Sunday, June 10.

Mr. Moore expects to have speakers at various other churches of the McKinney District, either at the morning or evening service on that day.

INJURED PERSON ARE REMOVED TO THEIR HOMES

Six of the seven persons injured in an automobile accident on the McKinney-Frisco highway at 3:00 a. m. Friday were removed to their homes from the McKinney City hospital over the week-end. Only Miss Sydney Moore of Celina, the most seriously injured of the group, remains in the hospital here. She is expected to be removed home within a few days. She is suffering from a head injury, lacerations and bruises.

The driver of the truck which crashed with a McKinney automobile, E. H. Richardson, was removed to his home in Fort Worth Saturday night.

The other five members of the McKinney party are well on the road to recovery. They are D. K. (Buck) Bogard Jr., Greenville street; Venible Redd, Anderson street; Mrs. Estelle Dickey, Oak street, all of McKinney; John Duncan of Allen and Miss Elizabeth Raley of Dallas.

SEVEN TRUCKS EMPLOYED BY MILK PLANT

A fleet of seven motor trucks converge every day at the Collin County Milk Products Co. plant headquarters in the Burton brick building on East Virginia street, this city, to unload their cargoes of whole milk gathered up from the farm homes in every direction out from McKinney.

Highest market prices are paid by this McKinney newly established milk plant for the whole milk on a cream test basis.

The cream is then trucked to Dallas to Cabell's Inc. where it is manufactured into a high quality of ice cream and marketed to Dallas customers through nine retail stores and also to McKinney and Collin county customers through their McKinney plant here.

The skim milk or much of it is sold back to the farmer at only one cent per gallon. It is profitably utilized in feeding pigs, chickens and other poultry and in raising young calves.

The company has already built up a list of about 200 regular farm milk producers, which number is growing steadily every week. These farmers get their milk pay checks every week. One of them amounted to $40.00 last week and another ranged from a little below that figure to smaller checks, according to the amount sold.

The McKinney milk plant is anxious for all the whole sweet milk that it can obtain in Collin county which has a high class lot of milk cattle as a result of years of close attention to breeding high-producing registered and graded Jersey cattle. We badly need the local market for our milk.

The Collin County milk plant has great possibilities in it for the development of Collin county into one of the leading farm dairying areas of the entire South.

Dowell Bros. Are Exporters Of Cotton

In mentioning the number of exporting firms at McKinney recently, the firm of Dowell Bros., cotton merchants, should also have been included. The firm is composed of Jim Dowell, McCarty Dowell, A. M. Dowell and Job Dowell, all sons of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Dowell of this city. They often make shipments to patrons in various parts of the world. Dowell Bros. have been buying and selling cotton for a number of years. Their headquarters is here at McKinney. They were born and reared on the old homestead of their parents, which they still own, about four miles west of McKinney.

County Treasurer Byrne Bigland and mother visited Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]

YOUNG SON O. J. MOSS AND WIFE IS IMPROVING

The condition of Billy Bob Moss, five-year-old son of former Tax Assessor and Mrs. Orlia J. Moss of this city, who was struck by an automobile while at play about 7:30 o'clock Friday afternoon, is improved Saturday, according to advices from the McKinney City hospital where he is being cared for. He may be able to be removed home in the next few days.

The child was injured while at play during the progress of a game in the City Diamond League out at Caldwell field, corner West Tucker and North Waddill streets, Friday afternoon. While crossing the street, he was struck by the car of Mr and Mrs. Ben Cloyd. Cars were parked on either side of the street, impairing the vision, the accident being unavoidable. The youth was rushed to the McKinney City hospital in the car of Roy Roberts for diagnosis and medical attention. Scores of friends gathered at the hospital immediately following the accident to offer any possible assistance and to receive the cheering news that the child was not as badly hurt as was first believed.

FIRST CARLOAD ONION SHIPMENT LEAVES FRIDAY

The first 1934 carload shipment of onions from this county left McKinney at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon, headed for northern markets.

They were of the Bermuda variety, of good quality and were shipped by P. L. Miller of Farmersville over the T. & N. O. railroad.

Mr. Miller is a member of the firm of Miller Bros., extensive Collin county onion men who ship from McKinney, Farmersville, Princeton, Wylie and other Collin points, as well as from numerous other Texas shipping points.

This shipment left here a scant twenty minutes ahead of another carload which pulled out of Melissa at 4:20 p. m. This Melissa shipment was sent out by Raymond Littrell, young farmer of the Chambersville community.

For several consecutive years, say local railroad men, McKinney has shipped out the first carload of onions from Collin county.

Assisting in gaining for McKinney the first shipment this year were T. C. Martin, local agent for the T. & N. O., and A. J. Patton, traveling freight agent for the Southern Pacific Lines, of which the T. & N. O. is a part, with headquarters at Dallas.

The shipment by Miller Bros. was gathered from fields near McKinney and Princeton. They were of the Crystal White Wax Bermuda variety and graded excellently.

The onion crop in the county this year is said to be up to the average in quality and production, with a greater acreage than last year. Altogether, Collin will likely ship out approximately 1,200 carloads of onions this season.

According to Carl Melton, local dealer, these figures include onions grown in surrounding counties near the Collin line, which are marketed in this county. Local dealers are offering 75 cents per bushel for the best grade of onions, known as U. S. grade No. 1. The local market is expected to open up in real earnest next week.

Melissa Woman Is Recovering From Injuries

Mrs. DeWitt Browning, who with her husband resides a mile and a half west of Melissa, is recovering from injuries received Friday morning about 11 o'clock when she fell from a wagon load of hay. She received a broken left arm, just above the elbow, as well as scratches and bruises.

Mrs. Browning was helping her husband haul a load of hay, when a bale of the hay slipped, causing her to fall at the heels of the team of mules. She was brought to the City hospital here where an X-ray was made and the injured arm treated. Mrs. Browning is a daughter of Mrs. John Erwin and a sister of Mrs. Bill Stephens, both of Melissa.

Tom Bailey and wife went out to Verona Sunday afternoon to attend the annual Memorial day services and decoration at 2:30 o'clock. Mr. Bailey's mother is buried there. He took his old father, J. W. Bailey, out with him to remain in that community to visit other relatives for a few days.

Miss Dorothy Faye Blanton of Gainesville is visiting at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Littlejohn, in the Woodlawn community, three miles northeast of McKinney.

Misses Susie Holleman and Alice DeShields will take a course of study in S. M. U., Dallas, this summer. They are teachers in the Rusty Finch (South) ward schools [illegible]

Six Carloads Onions Leave Farmersville

Farmersville onion season opened up Saturday, June 2, with six carloads of the famous East Collin onions rolling out of that little city that is considered the center of the North Texas onion producing area.

The harvest is now beginning in real earnest with about twenty buyers at Farmersville bidding for the onions, which are bringing from 75 cents to $1.00 per bushel with the yellow onions bringing the best price.

The crop in this section of the state was badly damaged by freezes and heavy rains in the early part of the season. Consequently, the yield will be short of last season's shipments of 1,000 cars, according to Farmersville estimates by the most successful onion growers and shippers.

The first carload shipped from Collin so far as this paper can learn was that shipped at McKinney over the T. & N. O. railroad, T. C. Martin, local agent, at 4:00 o'clock Friday afternoon, June 1. However about twenty minutes later another car pulled out of Melissa over the same railroad for the northern market.

Onion harvest is affording employment for many men, women and children and will continue to do so probably for the next thirty days.

Collin onions now being marketed are grown from slips set out the latter part of January and in February.

The onions grown from seed plantings come on later, in midsummer. However the seed onion crop doesn't compare at all in importance as to acreage with the slip onion crop of the county.

Collin onions grown in this rich black land grade very high in form, flavor and storage qualities and for these reasons are much sought after by wholesalers throughout the United States.

Onion buyers are to be found bidding for this year's crop in competition at other places in this county besides Farmersville—at Princeton, McKinney, Melissa, Plano, Allen, Wylie, Josephine, Nevada, Lavon, Copeville and perhaps at other points.

However, the Farmersville section of East Collin leads all points in the county as a growing and shipping area with Princeton coming second and McKinney area fast increasing—probably with the largest percentage of increase of any developing center in the county, this year.

Threshing Season Has Opened In West Collin

The threshing season has already opened up in West Collin, harvesting having begun last week.

Wheat is being threshed on the farm belonging to J. D. Crank and his son, R. A., of Plainview, Texas, south of Prosper. These former Collin county men have come back to supervise harvest and tnresning on their place.

The black rust got into their wheat and as soon as they cut it, they immediately began threshing. Because of this black rust, they are making a smaller yield than usual.

Ray Brothers are running a combine on the farm of Doc Terrell, northwest of Prosper. They are cutting and threshing the barley crop, there.

The grain crop is considered an average one this year. It is good in spots and as mentioned above, there are some fields which are not up to a standard yield. It is expected that within a few days, the threshing season will be in full sway.

A number of combines are owned by West Collin grain farmers, but the wheat has to be in prime condition as to ripeness in order for the combines to be operated to best advantage for the quality of wheat that they harvest and thresh in the same operation.

Owners of combines find that they can effect quite a saving in the cost of harvesting and threshing by the use of combines. However, they are an expensive machine and, as stated, conditions have to be more favorable for their operation than where the grain is cut by a self binder and thrashed with a steam or gasoline powered thrashing outfit.

Grain harvest and thrashing season throughout this county call into employment much additional labor.

The County Commissioners court, presided over by County Judge J. Frank Harrington, is sitting as an equalization board the last three days of this week. They will also spend the first three days of next week in the same manner.

Mrs. W. J. Ferguson and daughter, Miss Seawillo, of Sherman, spent the week-end with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. J. P. Nenney, in this city.

Miss Jane Turrentine of Nashville, Tenn., has arrived for a visit with her brother, C. A. Turrentine and family in this city.

Miss Curtis Michael, who has been ill for several days in [illegible]

PERSONALS

M. L. Vermillion and wife of Westminster were trading with our merchants Friday afternoon. Our county has no more worthy and useful citizens than Mr. and Mrs. Vermillion.

Mrs. Leland Davenport and baby son, Charles Leland, of Kingsville, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Graves, in this city for a few days. They are also visiting relatives in Denton.

M. H. Pearce and wife of Wichita Falls visited their many relatives and friends in McKinney, having returned home today (Friday). This editor had the pleasure of a nice chat with Monroe, having known him for years. He left McKinney some twenty years ago, locating in Wichita Falls. He is a contractor and builder. He has done well at Wichita Falls, which will be pleasing news to his many friends here at his old home. We always did like Monroe Pearce.

Mrs. T. G. McBee and son and daughter, Miss Ione and Thos., have gone to Moody, Texas, to attend the wedding of their son and brother, J. O. McBee, who will at high noon Friday be married to Miss Edna Talley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Talley of that place. The wedding will be performed at the Talley home. The young couple plan to reside in Dallas where Mr. McBee is connected with the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co.

Misses Floy Weeks, Mary Younger and Rebekah Wilcox, all of this city and graduates of McKinney High school last spring are at home in McKinney after attending their freshman year at Baylor university, Waco. Floy Jane is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Weeks of Bloomdale; Mary Younger is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Younger, while Rebekah Wilcox is a daughter of District Judge and Mrs. Frank Wilcox, all of McKinney.

The Central State bank is being all "dolled up" with extensive improvements being made on the interior. The walls, ceiling, woodwork, windows, doors, desks,—in fact, everything on the interior—is being given a new coat of paint, white and cream in color, making of that McKinney bank a most attractive place. According to A. H. Eubanks, active vice-president and cashier of the institution, the inside of the building will be made entirely new. Friends are congratulating bank officials on the improvements being made at that place of business.

J. D. Crank and son, R. A. Crank, were in McKinney Friday. They now live near Lockney, Texas, where they moved from Prosper several months ago. Lived for many years in and around Prosper. Fine people and when they moved away, Collin county lost two good friends. While here, we had the pleasure of shaking their friendly hands, and a most pleasant call. They like West Texas fine.

T. S. (Pat) Murphy, phone 480, this city, is using our classified columns to advertise for sale several head of fresh or heavy springer young Jersey cows. Some of them are pure bred subject to registration and others are already registered. They are with their first or second calves. Here is a chance to get a most desirable pure bred or registered Jersey milch cow to suit you at unusually attractive prices. Mr. Murphy is an extensive farmer who says his crops are looking fairly well and in good shape.

G. A. (Roddy) Stiff, and wife, and daughter, of Como, Texas, came over to McKinney Thursday morning to attend the funeral of his brother, the late Wallace Stiff, who died Wednesday at his home at Temple. However, after arriving, Mr. Stiff, wife, and daughter, found that arrangements had been changed and the funeral and burial will take place Friday afternoon in Temple instead of here at McKinney as first planned. R. N. Carroll, of Como, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Roddy Stiff and daughter to McKinney on their sad mission.

The following relatives of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hight, of 513 South Elm street, spent the week-end in the Hight home and attended baccalaureate services of Sherman High school class of '34 of which Joe Hight is a member: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hight, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hight, Mrs. M. J. Hight, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Caldwell and children, Kathryn and Roy Jr., and Jane Brockman, all of McKinney, Mrs. J. L. Gryder and children, Dolores and James, Breckenridge; M. B. Howell and sons, Claude and Burt, Celina, and Mrs. Floyd Stribling, Gordonville.—Sherman Democrat.

Miss Jennie Marie Wilson, daughter of Postmaster and Mrs. Wallace C. Wilson of this city left Friday for Hollister, Mississippi, to attend a Y. W. C. A. and Y. M. C. A. camp, which will be in progress there for the next ten days. Miss Wilson, who is a junior in Texas Woman's college (C. I. A.), at Denton, this year, was selected as one of the four C. I. A. pupils to attend this Missouri camp. She is treasurer of the Y. W. C. A. at C. I. A. and is a member of the F. & M. club. She will be a senior in that school next year. Miss Wilson is a graduate of the McKinney High school and a young lady of exceptional talent and pleasing [illegible]

FIRST CARLOAD 1934 WHEAT IS SOLD 80 CTS. BU.

A truckload of wheat from Justin, Denton county, that changed hands on the Fort Worth market Thursday, May 31st, was the first, so far as known, to be sold from the 1934 crop.

This grain weighed sixty pounds to the bushel and was grown on the farm of J. J. Hathorn. Universal Mills bought the wheat, paying 80c a bushel plus a premium of 5c a bushel to the farmer for getting the first wheat on the market.

Hathorn said he expected to make above twenty bushels to the acre on his crop.

No. 1 hard wheat was quoted at $1.07½ a bushel on the market in Fort Worth during the day, a 5c gain from the closing market Tuesday, last previous trading day.

Prof. and Mrs. B. J. Brannon and two little sons, Jackie, 5, and Harold, 3, of Sanderson, Terrell county, Texas, have concluded a few days visit to her parents, Judge and Mrs. R. L. Moulden, of this city, and have gone to Dimmitt, in Castro county, West Texas, to look after some land interests that Prof. Brannan owns there. From Dimmitt, they will go to Lubbock where he will spend the summer in Texas Tech, working on his Master's degree. Prof. Brannan has been superintendent of schools at Sanderson for four or five years.

S. E. Hyman, owner and Cies Pickard, plant superintendent, of the S. E. Hyman company, Freemont, Ohio, makers of seat covers, and F. O. Babcock, of Denison, vice-president of the Babcock Bros. stores, visited the local manager, Joe Hartwell, in McKinney this week. While here Messrs. Hyman and Pickard helped automobile owners in selecting the proper seat covers for their cars. The local Babcock store carries a big line of these popular priced seatcovers.

Mrs. Clyde Cave and Miss Maxine Hardin of Brownfield, Texas, have arrived for a few days' visit with their sisters, Mrs. Jack Warren and Miss Dorothy Hardin. The latter is a patient in the City hospital where she recently submitted to an appendicitis operation.

Miss Isabelle Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Allen, has returned from Nocona, after closing her year's work as one of the high school teachers there where she has been teaching for five or six yeras.

Nathaniel (Bus) Stimpson, colored porter of the Denison Elks club for twenty-four years, was in McKinney Wednesday visiting his mother and other relatives here where he was born and reared. Bus was a good-natured, colored boy around the old McKinney Elks hall for several years. He says two of his good white McKinney Elk friends, Ed Rhea and S. Lucas, procured the job for him at the Denison Elks hall. That he tried to make good is evidenced by the fact that he has been continuously employed on the same job ever since. Bus is a respectful, humble and exceedingly friendly colored man who has a warm spot in his heart for McKinney and McKinney people. He was kept busy bowing and smiling at old friends on our streets Wednesday afternoon. But says so many familiar faces of good white friends here are missing after the lapse of nearly a quarter of a century and makes him feel sad.

25 YEARS AGO IN M'KINNEY

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(May 31, 1909.)

Nath Board, 43 was found dead last night in Oak Cliff near the Cliff hotel in the middle of the street. It is believed that he was murdered. News of the tragedy was phoned to Alderman Giles McKinney of this city. Mr. Board lived in McKinney until about five years ago. He is survived by two daughters who are nearly grown. He will be buried in McKinney tomorrow under the auspices of Defiance lodge Knights of Pythias of McKinney. The deceased's watch and pocketbook were taken. The deceased was a nephew of Capt. R. Milt Board of this city.

The McKinney School Board held a meeting in the First National bank office Saturday night (May 29). Prof. J. H. Hill was re-elected superintendent for his sixth consecutive year. Prof. F. C. Jones was elected principal of the high school. Others teachers elected: Mrs. W. T. Beverly, Miss Alice Kirkpatrick, Miss Leona Knox, Mrs. Rena Johnson, Miss Mary Church, Miss Estelle Lansdale, A. K. King, principal of Central ward, Miss Allie Rodgers, Miss Nettie Alsup, Miss Rebecca Frazier, Miss Blanche Layis, Miss Willie Stiff, Miss Hallie Kitchings, Miss Nettie Erwin, Prof. Harris, principal of South ward; Miss Lena Thompson, Miss Grace Rice, Miss Mille Daughtize, Colored school teachers E. S. Doty, principal; Annie Lindsey and Mary Wilson, Amelia Doty, su[illegible]

PERSONALS

Misses Maude and Billie Wilcox, Nan Dyer, Mrs. Miriam White and Mrs. W. L. Brown, were guests Wednesday of Miss Gertrude Gibson in Denton. Miss Gibson is taking a course of study in C. I. A., Denton, this summer.

Mack Morgan was delivering some mighty nice hay to customers in McKinney, this week. He has cut and baled his oat crop, which is fairly good and is now also cutting his alfalfa and Johnson grass. Mack states that his wife's condition is improving. She was taken home from the McKinney City hospital Wednesday.

Judge Wallace Hughston, candidate for state senator from the tenth district, composed of Collin Hunt, Rains and Rockwall counties, has been seeing the voters in Rains and Rockwall counties the past few days. Judge Hughston states that he is receiving much encouragement from all over the district in his race for the senate.

Church services at the South Wilcox Street Methodist church well attended with three additions Sunday morning. No services were held Sunday evening, giving over for the revival at the King Memorial Baptist. A fine Epworth League program, under the leadership of Miss Hazel Wilson, was held. The pastor Rev. F. Lamar McGown, brought the inspiring message.

All outside woodwork on the local Government Post Office is being repainted a dark green, greatly adding to the attractiveness of McKinney's beautiful Federal building. The work is under the supervision of the government. A. C. Bullock, veteran McKinney contractor, has the job. He is being assisted by John Stout, Metz Taylor, Jess Odle and Gus Hudson.

Dr. H. D. Knickerbocker, presiding elder, came up to McKinney Sunday morning and went out to Pleasant Grove Methodist church, a half mile east of Climax, where he preached at the 11:00 o'clock hour. He was accompanied from McKinney by Hon. H. H. Neilson, chairman of the official board of the First Church here, and Judge Wallace Hughston.

Attorney Roland Boyd spent Wednesday on the farm of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Boyd, at Lavon in Southeast Collin. He found his father, who underwent a surgical operation a month ago, to be improving and able to look after his extensive farming intreest. Mr. Boyd says the Lavon section of our county has one of its very best grain crops now being harvested.

A. J. Patton, traveling freight agent for the Southern Pacific railroad, North Texas district, with headquarters in Dallas, was in McKinney Friday, conferring with T. C. Martin, local agent for the Texas & New Orleans, a branch of the Southern Pacific, and other officials. Mr. Patton frequently visits McKinney where he is well known and like.

Nancy Jane Massie, attractive little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Massie, has been confined to her home the past two weeks with an injured foot. Recently, she was attending a picnic and while in the creek, badly cut her left foot, necessitating the taking of several stitches to close the wound. However, she is now improving and hopes to soon be able to be out with her playmates again.

Hon. J. W. (Joe) McCullough, accompanied by Mrs. McCullough and their little son, Joe Jr., were campaigning in Rains county Thursday. Mr. McCullough is the present representative from Collin county, and a candidate for senator from this (tenth) senatorial district. Mr. McCullough states that he is receiving much encouragement all over the district in his race.

A. D. Hope, prominent McKinney merchant and wife spent Thursday, on their farms around Pike in Northeast Collin and also looking after business interests at Leonard and Celeste. He owns a brick store building in the latter town. Mr. Hope says that crops are looking fairly good on his farms. Farmers everywhere seemed to be exceedingly busy in their fields.

Mrs. Jack Sportsman is making improvements on one of her rent houses on West Louisiana street.

Mrs. J. L. Lovejoy and Mrs. M. H. Garrett returned from several days' delightful visit in Hot Springs, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Drake and Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson motored over to Tioga Sunday where they spent the day with relatives and friends.

Glen D. Bryan, who holds a position with the J. C. Penney company store in Wichita Falls, has arrived for a two weeks' vacation with his parents, City Commissioner C. N. Bryan and wife.

A new cement walk is being put down on East Louisiana setreet in front of the business houses of the Texas theater, Mitchell's drug store and the Phillips-Taylor company. Walter McGarrah and Jess Moore have the contract.

The City Commission will meet on June 12, 13, 14, 15 and 17, as an Equalization board. The last day, June 17, will be given over entirely to large corporations. Quite a few have been summoned to appear before the City Commission on the above dates.

C. C. Truett, who has been visiting his brother, Dr. George W. Truett, pastor of the First Baptist church in Dallas, for some time, is now visiting his brother, Hon. L. J. Truett, of McKinney. Mr. Truett has many friends in McKinney, who are always pleased to see him.

Rev. G. H. Ussery of this city is pastor of the following churches: Sunnyside Baptist church, Denison; first and third Sundays of each month; Mt. Carmel Baptist church, eight miles west of Gunter, fourth Sunday in each month, and at Culleoka on the second Sunday in each month. Rev. Ussery barbers most of the time through the week here in McKinney. His children attend school here where he and his wife have a host of friends and like very much to live on account of school advantages and as a desirable place in which to rear their children.

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CRAZY Water CRYSTALS

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There is singing at the church every Thursday night.

Archie Lang lost one of his work mules last week.

Mrs. Roy Thomas' children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Neal.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Thomas and baby spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Evertt McKinney are the proud parents of a baby boy since Tuesday, the 29th.

Isola, Leola and Frances Thomas of Clearlake spent the week-end with John William Eastham.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bridgefarmer and sons spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Bridgefarmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Harris recently.

Carl Marie Short has been on the sick list the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bridgefarmer visited in McKinney recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Funk and daughter of Princeton visited her mother, Mrs. B. F. Wyle, recently.

MIDWAY

Miss Margaret Lytle of Celeste spent the week-end with Miss Alfred Parks.

Miss Georgia Hellen Gladden spent Friday night with Miss Lillian Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Lytle had as their dinner guests Sunday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Forest Smith, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. LeFevre and Misses Natalie Terry and Alfred Parks.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Thomas and children spent the week-end with Mr and Mrs. Harve Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hess, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Smith, Mrs. L. L. Johnston, Misses Maye and Faye Davis and Eidsworth Middlebrook spent Sunday in Dallas.

Mrs. R. C. McLeod and children spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. O. H. McLeod.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Gantt and son of Princeton and Mrs. John Gooch and son of Culleoka spent Thursday with friends in our community.

A. B. LeFevre, Misses Alfred Parks and Natalie Terry, three of the Brushy teachers, are in school in Commerce this summer.

Miss Eula Mae Sellars spent Sunday with Miss Eldalene Hackett.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Talley spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Howard.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. O. H. McLeod, a son on May 23.

Brushy school closed Friday with an interesting children's program in the morning, dinner on the ground at 12 o'clock and a good play Friday night. Large crowds enjoyed all.

NEW HOPE
Mrs. J. L. Hudson

Miss Doris and Joyce Drake are back home after a term of school at Sherman.

The New Hope school was out Friday, with dinner at noon and a play that night.

John Hudson was a guest of Lloyd Hudson and family Sunday.

Mrs. T. J. Harris spent Sunday with Lee Moore and family.

Guy Simmons and family visited her mother, Mrs. M. D. Lamber, and family recently.

Mrs. Brezel is visiting her son, Frank Brezel, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McMillian visited Albert Drake and family recently.

Clifton D. Lambert spent Sunday with George Hudson.

Jim Russell and family, Will Russell and family, friends and other relatives all enjoyed a picnic recently.

Joe Russell and family visited Jim and Will Russell and families recently.

Alice Hudson is sick at this writing.

Colleen Howard has the whooping cough.

Mrs. John Bates visited her mother, Mrs. Brown, Friday afternoon.

FAYBURG
Jack Vanbevers

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ashley and family have moved in our community which we are glad of.

Miss Meda Von Terry visited Miss Iona McCall of Snow Hill Sunday

Miss Velma Mize has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Fay Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gracey of Lavon spent Sunday with Mrs. Vanbevers.

Justine Tate spent Saturday night with Jack Vanbevers.

J .D. Peel of Farmersville was visiting in our community Sunday.

Mrs. Luther Terry spent Saturday with Mrs. Vanbevers.

Several attended the decoration at Blue Ridge Sunday.

Edward Ashley, Jack Vanbevers, Arthur Ashley and Buster Murphy spent several days at Red River fishing.

J. W. Gideon has been sick but is better at this writing.

MELISSA

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davis and daughter, Naomi, of Fort Worth were here Sunday visiting relatives and to attend the Baccalaureate services or the graduating class Sunday night at which time their niece and cousin, Miss Margaret Leigh Graves, was a member of the group of graduates.

Prof. and Mrs. Byron Davis of Sherman attended the Baccalaureate services here Sunday night at which time their niece, Miss Margaret Leigh Graves, was graduating.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Knox of McKinney spent a few days here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Knox and her sister, Mrs. A. C. Craft, and husband.

Mrs. Will Wallis and daughter, Miss Billy, were shopping in McKinney Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Herbert Thompson and son of McKinney visited her sister, Mrs. Claud Robison and family here Wednesday.

As Clyde O. Robinson and family and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Moss Connor and children, were returning from an outing at Lake Dallas Sunday they had an accident that resulted fatally for the baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Connor. Their car and another had a collison and injured several members of the party but none so serious as was the small child, 2 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Connor, who was taken to the City hospital in McKinney and who passed away there Monday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Connor, with their family, lived here for sometime where he was employed by C. O. Robison, general merchandise and made their home in the north part of town, just south of the John A. Lacy home. Mr. Connoh and his family have the sympathy of the entire community.

The members of the Baptist church are busy as bees this week planning for their church dedication and home coming Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Roberts and children of McKinney attended the Baccalaureate address here Sunday night when their sister, Miss Beuna Bray, was a member of the graduating class.

Mesdames J. W. Largent and A. L. Cole and Miss Helen Johnson of McKinney visited Mrs. A. H. Bridgefarmer and Mrs. H. T. Leigh Sunday afternoon.

Rev. A. G. M. Hatler who has been here and other Texas points some two week visiting relatives and friends left Wednesday morning for his home in Corbin, Ky.

Misses Irene Anderson and Tootsie Anderson took the latter's uncle, Rev. H. G. M. Hatler, to Denison Wednesday as he started on his way to his home in Corbin, Ky.

S. H. Parris accompanied his son-in-law, Rev. H. G. Hatler, to McKinney Sunday night where the latter preaches at the First Baptist church at the evening hour.

The P.-T. A. held a meeting recently in which the following program was carried out: House called to order by President Mrs. Will Wallis; song, America, prayer, Mrs. Wallis; charter signed by the president in the presence of P.-T. A. members; resolutions of praise and thanks for Mrs. Worthy by Mrs. Smart and presented Friday; short talks by members in appreciation of our teachers; motion made to buy 300 paper plates of school picnic; motion for adjournment by Mrs. Claud Robison.

The baccalaureate services of the spring term of the Melissa High school was held in the Baptist church Sunday night. Mrs. Ross Orenduff of McKinney was pianist; J. R. Shelby was choir leader. The program was as follows:

Processional.
Hymn, class.
Quartet, Misses Shirley Jean Taylor, Billy Walhs, Elbert Roberts and Edwin Dickenson.
Sermon, Rev. M. H. Barnett.
Benediction.
Recessional.

The processional ushers were Walter Porter and Miss Elizabeth Moore. The recessional ushers were Forest Martin and Miss Madeline Lindsey.

The school trustees came first and sat in a body as follows: President, Claud Robison; Joe C. Moore, H. T. Leigh, E. O. Knox and G. W. oPrter

The faculty also sat in reserved seats. They were Prof. D. W. Smart, Misses Elizabeth Evans, Lottie Belle Jones, Corinne Gibson, Georgia Corbin, Tezzie Johnson and Mrs. Ward Worthy. The beautiful strains of the march, the graduates, eight in number, came First Miss Margaret Leigh Graves, gowned in yellow organdy and carrying an arm bouquet; next was Henry Tom Leigh, then Miss Kathleen Stephens in a lovely shell pink crepe evening gown; Guy Porter came next followed by Miss Beuna Berry in a white emboridered organdy. Eldred Willis was followed by Miss Thelma Porter who wore a light blue organcy. G. W. Cave came last. The boys wore blue coats and white trousers. The girls each carried lovely arm bouquets corresponding to their frocks.

The commencement exercises of the graduating class were held in the school auditorium Monday evening. The diplomas were presented to eight graduates. Miss Margaret Leigh Graves made the highest grades. She is a fine young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Graves. She has attended school here all of her life and has always made fine grades. This graduating class has been together all of their school life. There have been several others with them at times, some failing to make their grades and others going to other schools but these eight held together and finished together.

Miss Elizabeth Moore played a piano number which was enjoyed. Prof. L. D. Robinson made the commencement address. Prof. D. W. Smart presented the diplomas. Thus came to a close another successful school year.

BUSINESS AT THE TEMPLE OF JUSTICE

DISTRICT COURT NEWS

Hon. F. E. Wilcox, Judge.
Mrs. Eual Ford, Deputy.
L. A. Sears, Clerk.
W. C. Dowdy, County Attorney.
Leon Moses, Assistant.
Miss Alta Lewis, Assistant

Last Criminal Week

The last criminal week of this term of court opened Monday morning and the following cases have been disposed of:

Clarence Clem, charged in two cases with selling liquor, on pleas of guilty before the court, was given a one year sentense in the penitentary in each case.

Johnnie Durham, charged with selling liquor, on a plea of not guilty before a jury, was found not guilty.

Charlie H. Brown, charged with transporting liquor, on a plea of not guilty before a jury, was found not guilty.

Robert Le Lacy, charged with theft over $50. Trial before jury, found guilt and sentenced to two years in the penitentary.

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Jury for Week

The jury for the week is as follows: Kruger Chaddick, R. P. Spurgin, S. F. Kerr, J. C. Loftis, J. W. Savage, J. R. Byars, J. O. Brashears, C. A .Copus, Roy Ballew, W. K. Gant, L. V. Moulden, R. A. Bailey, H. L. Coffey, Fred Marcus, W. E. Evans, J. N. Shanks, Lynn Taylor, Bill Perry, S. S. Sharp, Thos. H. Foster, Tom Heath, E. L. Starnes, J. M. Slaughter, J. T. Gooch, Choice McClure, R. W. Vines.

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New Suits

John A. McCormick vs. The San Antonio Joint Stock Land Bank of San Antonio, a corporation, petition for injunction.

Ex-Parte Grace N. Wilcoxson, application to carry her separate property without joiner of her husband.

COUNTY COURT NEWS

Hon. J. Frank Harrington, Judge.
Mrs. Pearl Strother, Clerk.
Miss Bessie Keen, Chief Deputy.

Pleas of Guilty

George Lewis, charged with aggravated assault, fined $25 and cost, amounting to $37.65.

Percy N. Dakin, charged with receiving and concealing stolen property, fined $5, and cost, amounting to $32.39.

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Criminal Week, June 18

Criminal week in county court will begin Monday, June 18. Civil week, jury and non-jury, will be held Monday, June 25.

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Probate

Lottie Stiles has made application to probate will of J. W. Harvin, deceased.

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Marriage License

John O. McBee and Edna M. Talley.

Lonzo Johnson (col.) and Mrs. Martha Johnson.

O .E. Giles and Grace Bee Littrell.

Stonewall Jackson Smith and Vivian Woodard.

Roy Treadway and Jewel Martin.

Alma Farley and Inez Randlee.

COMMISSIONERS COURT NEWS

The Commissioners Court is sitting as a tax equalization board the first three days of this week. They will also spend the first three days of next week in the same manner.

JUSTICE COURT NEWS

Hon. Erwin Craus, J. P.
John A. Record, Constable.
Bill Herndon, Deputy.

The Constable's department has made the following arrests during the past week with pleas of guilty: One for speeding; twelve for overloading trucks; one for theft; two for vagrancy; one for drunkenness; one for abusive language; two for disturbance; charges filed against two boys for burglary—boys still in pail.

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Mr. Onion and grain grower: We carry a large stock of onion bags, crates and binder twine.

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Your opportunity to buy at low prices.

FLOUR $1.45
48 Lbs. Good.

JOWLS Lb. 8c
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VANILLA FLAVORING
4 Oz. Bottle 9c
8 Oz. Bottle 12c

Reg. 13c Value
Kelloggs Whole Wheat
FLAKES 3 For 25c

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Bring us your Eggs, Country Bacon, Lard and Hams.

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P. R. Westmoreland, Prop.
PHONES 94 and 95

LIEUT.-GOV. EDGAR E. WITT, SEEKING GOVERNOR'S OFFICE, SPEAKS IN CITY WEDNESDAY NIGHT; IN DENTON TODAY

Lieutenant-Governor Edgar E. Witt commenced a swing through the rich farming area of North Texas, carrying his candidacy for the governorship of Texas, in a splendid address on the south side of the courthouse in McKinney Wednesday night. Lieut-Gov. Witt was well received here and was heard by a nice crowd, which listened so attentively that the speaker made what he termed his "longest speech of the campaign.

The speaker was introduced by Hon. Roland Boyd, prominent local young attorney who has been a personal friend of the lieutenant-governor for several years and who described Gov. Witt's long career of fourteen years of service in the Texas Senate, the past four as lieutenant-governor and presiding officer of that august body.

City Commissioner Add G. Wilson, who is distantly related to Gov. Witt, presided and introduced Mr. Boyd.

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Urges Tax Reduction.

In his speech the lieutenant-governor carefully laid a background for his platform with a description of the present depression, its causes and the present methods of remedy. He also described the American form of government and the workings of the state government machinery. He urged a close cooperation between the Texas State government and the "New Deal" of President Franklin D. Roosevelt's Democratic administration in Washington. He urged that $5,000,000 of the $20,000,000 relief bond issue recently voted on, and passed by the voters of the state, be put into a state fund to be loaned to Texas citizens who want to improve their condition, but who are not entirely in the class of those thousands needing "direct relief." He also urged a reduction of state taxes by cutting down expenses. The present tax returns are enough—coupled with the payment of delinquent taxes, which he pointed out would start coming in with the return of more prosperous times.

He pledged himself to work for a united State constabulary, combining the Ranger force and highway patrol, and the use of a "merit" system in seelcting men for such positions.

He alluded to the pardoning of Bob Silver, Fort Worth bandit, by Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson and declared that, if elected, he would see that all inmates of the state penitentary, regardless of their monetary wealth or social position be given the same treatment and consideration. In this connection, the speaker also urged that the trial and conviction of criminals be less costly and that loopholes be removed from the state law adowing the retarding of the forces of justice in many cases.

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Against Open Saloon.

Gov. Witt reiterated his position on the Prohibition question, declaring himself in favor of the abrogation of the present state Prohibition law, and urging that state taxes be gathered from liquor after "it is brought out into the open." He declared himself against the open saloon.

His speech was well delivered and well received. While here, the Governor was a guest of City Commissioner and Mrs. Add G. Wilson. He journeyed from McKinney to Denton for a speech Thursday.

By invitation, Mayor Largent, F. Dud Perkins and Senator Perkins occupied seats on the rostrum

At the conclusion of Gov. Witt's address, quite a few came forward and shook hands with him.

Welcome Visit From J. D. Lyons

Hon. J. D. (Jim) Lyons of near Westminster in Northeast Collin called in Tuesday, and authorized the Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette to place his name in their announcement columns for the office of Local Representative from Collin county subject to the Democratic Primary election of July 28. Mr. Lyons is a very intelligent, well read farmer, whose friends believe that he would make a useful and faithful tribune of the people in the House of Representatives at our state capital, if elected. Mr. Lyons plans to make an aggressive campaign for the honor.

SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT NEWS

G. J. S. Walker, Sheriff.
Jim Douglass, Office Deputy.
George Eubanks, Riding Deputy.
A. G. Sparlin, Special Deputy.
Stony Allen Allen, Jailer.

The Sheriff's department has made the following arrests with charges filed and pleas of guilty in Justice Court: One for disturbance; three for drunkenness; eleven for gambling; two for affray; one for abusive language; charges filed against a party for driving while intoxicated—party released on bond.

The City Officers filed charges against a party for theft; charges filed against a boy for burglary of private residence—released on bond; charges filed against a party for attempted burglary of private residence—party released on bond.

Geo. Sportsman, Wife and Baby On Visit Here

George Sportsman, son of the late Col Jack Sportsman, wife and three-year-old baby son, Jack, of Refugio, have arrived in McKinney to visit his mother, Mrs. Jack Sportsman, and other relatives and friends. While here, they will motor up to Oklahoma to visit his wife's parents, who reside near Alva. Mr. Sportsman is connected with his brother, Beverly, in the grocery business in Refugio. They also have a cousin, Johnny Sportsman, who is in the dry goods business at that place. They motored over to Denton Tuesday, Mr. Sportsman having formerly attended North Texas State Teachers college. He is a brother of Chas. Sportsman who with his wife and little daughter, Beverly Ann, are in Los Angeles this summer where he is attending the University of Southern California and where he will receive his M. A. degree this year. Mr. Sportsman says business is good in Refugio, which is in the center of a big oil field.

O. L. Cantrell, who lives on North College street, is advertising for a buck ram sheep that escaped from the wagonyard in this city. If you know of its whereabouts, communicate with Mr. Cantrell.

Mrs. G. A. Stephens and little daughter, Mary Jane, of Kilgore spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. J. P. Nenney. They weer accompanied home by Mrs. Stephen's niece, Miss Frances Nenney of Dallas.

Judge R. L. Moulden has bought the old home place of S. H. Fox, 804 West Tucker street. He will probably improve and remodel the home.

Misses Margaret May and Emma Lou Pressley have gone to Gainesville to visit.

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RITZ

Thursday—
Pat Patterson and John Boles in
"BOTTOMS UP"

Friday and Saturday—
Ginger Rogers and Warren Williams in
"UPPER WORLD"

Saturday Midnight, Sunday and Monday—
Bing Crosby and Carole Lombard in
"WE'RE NOT DRESSING"

Tuesday—Bank Night—
Judith Allen and Tom Brown in
"WITCHING HOUR"

Wednesday & Thursday
Warner Baxter in
"SUCH WOMEN ARE DANGEROUS"

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PROTECT YOURSELF FROM THE SUN'S RAYS with an awning made to order by us. Also new mattresses or your old one renovated. McTEE MATTRESS CO., Phone 47. 210 E. Davis street.

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PLANT garden and field seed late summer and fall crops. us for seed of best quality. FRANCIS SEED CO., 120 Tennessee street, McKinney.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Slightly used McCormick-Deering 5-foot mower. Bargain for cash. F. E. WELMAKER, McKinney.

FOR SALE: Fresh and heavy springer Jersey cows, both pure bred and registered, with first and second calves. Bargain prices. T. S. (Pat) Murphy. Phone 480.

FOR SALE: Second-hand binder, cultivators, planters, Fordson tractor and a 2-row cultivator. GEO. W. JAMES, McKinney, Texas.

FOR SALE: 6 Buck rams, blackface and 2 Rambouillett. Chas. Waide. Phone 6, McKinney.

WILL SELL 60 acres, highly improved with team, tools and crop for $4,500. Consider part trade. R. L. HIGHT.

FOR SALE: Power hay press, good condiditon. Reasonable price. N. A. BURTON

RADIO

RADIO: Any make repaired, charges reasonable. L. W. YOUNG, 208 Wilcox street, Phone 865.

JUST received a complete stock of the new Mico-Sensitive RCA Cunningham tubes. They will make your old radio better than new. All old style tubes left in stock 40 per cent off. THE RADIO SHOP, 104 W. Va. St.

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WANTED: Will pay highest cash prices for all kinds of second hand household furniture. BOON JOHNSON. Phone 238.

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$2.49

Walnut or Black Retan Blutcher with cap on toe. Leather soles.
$2.98

Brown or Black Elk, Plain Toe, Leather Sole.
$2.98

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100% Leather, Leather Soles, Soft as Buckskin.
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Men's Grey Mixed Cotton WORK SOCKS 10c
Men's Horse Hide LEATHER GLOVES 79c
Men's Full Cut Blue WORK SHIRTS 89c
Men's Large Shape Work STRAW HATS 39c
Men's and Boy's Work STRAW HATS 25c
Boy's Broadcloth DRESS SHIRTS 59c